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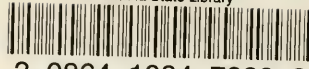
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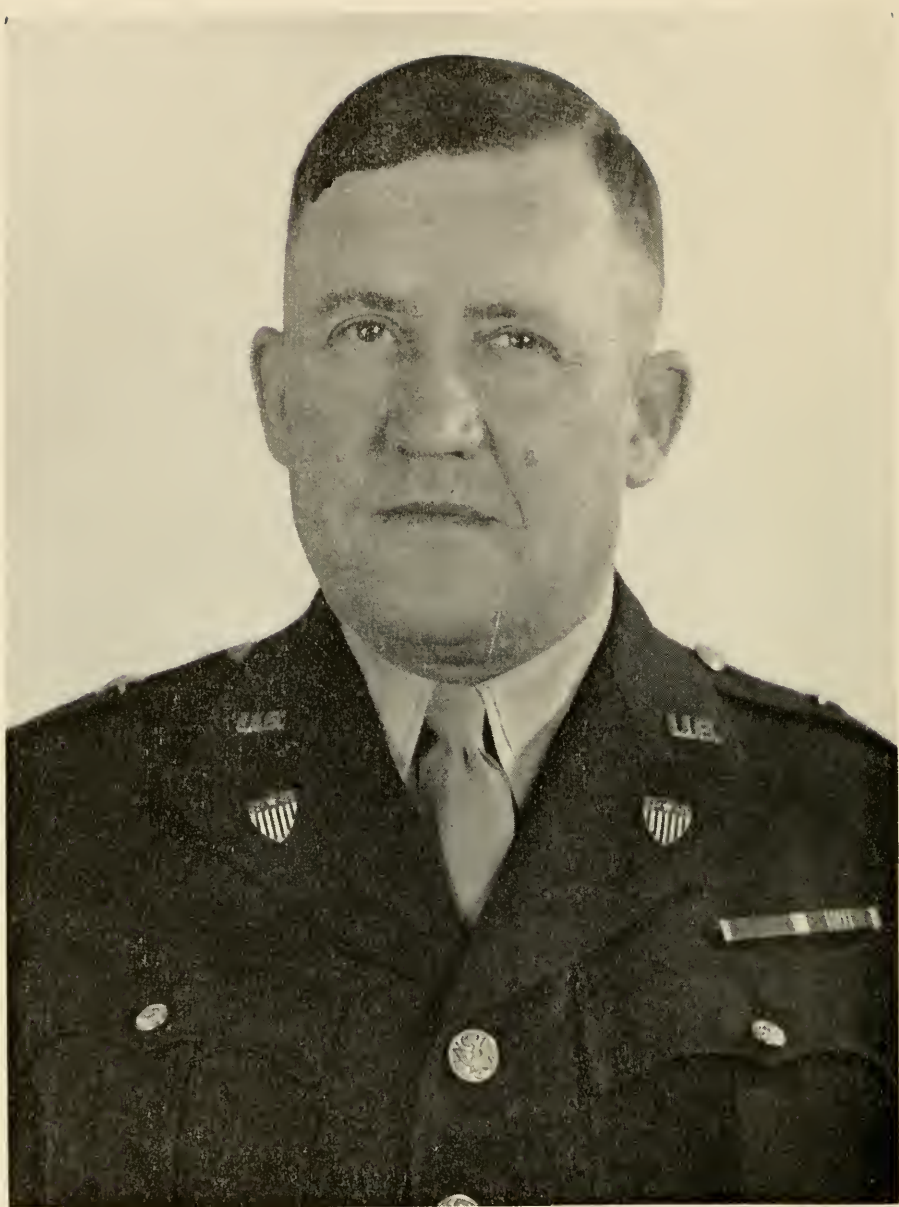
October 15, 1952

Governor of Montana
State Capitol
Helena, Montana

Sir:

In compliance with Section 1349, Revised Laws of Montana, 1947, I have the honor to submit the Biennial Report of the Adjutant General of Montana, for the period, 1 July, 1950 - 30 June, 1952.


Respectfully yours,
S. H. MITCHELL,
Brig. Gen., AGC, Mont. N. G.
The Adjutant General.



BRIGADIER GENERAL S. H. MITCHELL
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD

ADJUTANTS GENERAL OF MONTANA

Martin Beem (territorial)	-1867
James H. Mills (territorial)	-1877
C. W. Turner (territorial)	-1887
Samuel R. Douglas	1889-1891
H. S. Howell	1891-1892
C. F. Lloyd	1893-1896
Jas. W. Drennan	-1897
Chas. O. English	1898-1900
R. Lee McCulloch	1901-1903
Shirley C. Ashby	1903-1904
Adelbert M. Alderson	1904-1908
Phil Greenan	1909-1920
Charles L. Sheridan	1920-1924
Erastus H. Williams	1925-1937
John W. Mahan	1937-1940
Frederick A. Lange	1940-1941
Everett M. Birely	1941-1942
Spencer H. Mitchell (incumbent)	1943-



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POLICIES OF DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE RELATING TO THE NATIONAL GUARD

I.—DEFINITION

A.—National Guard

The National Guard of the United States and the Air National Guard of the United States are integral parts and first line reserve components of the Army of the United States and the United States Air Force. The National Guard of the States and Territories continues to exist and in time of national emergency may be called or ordered into the Army of the United States and the United States Air Force through its National Guard of the United States status. All federally recognized units and elements of the Active National Guard and the personnel of the Inactive National Guard of the several States, Territories, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico together, constitute the National Guard of the United States.

II.—MISSIONS

A.—Mission of the National Guard of the United States

The mission of the National Guard of the United States is to provide a reserve component of the Army of the United States and the United States Air Force, capable of immediate expansion to war strength, able to furnish units fit for service anywhere in the world, trained and equipped to:

1. Defend critical areas of the United States against land, sea-borne, or airborne invasion.
2. Assist in converting the mobilization and concentration of the remainder of the reserve forces.
3. Participate by units in all types of operations, including the offensive, either in the United States or overseas.

B.—Mission of the National Guard of the Several States

The mission of the National Guard of the several states is to provide sufficient organizations in each State, so trained and equipped as to enable them to function efficiently at existing strength in the protection of life and property and the preservation of peace, order, and public safety, under competent orders of the State Authorities.

III.—COMPOSITION OF THE MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD

A. The organization and units allotted to the several States will be those which are equipped for the accomplishment of the mission of the National Guard, and when taken with the units of the Regular Army and the United States Army Reserve, and the Regular Air Force and the United States Air Force Reserve, will provide the essential forces re-

quired for early mobilization. Within the total allotment, organizations of the proper type will be allotted to each State to enable it to accomplish the Federal and State missions.

B. Units allotted to the State of Montana in accordance with the above policy are listed on page 10 of this report.

IV.—STATE AND FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY

A.—General

The National Guard is an integral part of the Army of the United States and the United States Air Force and its success depends upon mutual confidence between the Federal Government and the States and Territories. Such confidence is obtained only by the wholehearted efforts of all parties to maintain an effective National Guard.

B.—Supply

It will be the responsibility of the Departments of the Army and of the Air Force to clothe, equip, supply and arm the National Guard according to the standards established for the Regular Army and the Regular Air Force.

C.—Facilities

The division of Federal and State responsibilities is as follows:

1. The States will furnish the personnel, adequate armories, and storage facilities.
2. The Federal Government will furnish the outdoor training facilities.

D.—Training

Unit training objectives will be to assume that all units will be capable of immediate mobilization and early development for field service. The training of the National Guard will be conducted by the National Guard organizations of the respective States under the supervision of the Chief, Army Field Forces and the Chief, Civilian Components Branch, United States Air Force, in accordance with policies prescribed by the Departments of the Army and Air Force. Periods of field training, attendance of personnel at service schools, and tours of active duty will be conducted in the reserve status of the National Guard of the United States and the Air National Guard of the United States. Armory drill training will be conducted in the status of the National Guard of the States and Territories.

E.—State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment

Within each State, there shall be an administrative staff to be designated as "State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment" and which will be organized and federally recognized as a unit of the Na-

tional Guard. The numbers and grades of officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men within the State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment will be based upon the strength of allotted National Guard units to the State and, in addition, will provide a suitable number of officers and enlisted men for duties in connection with Selective Service and internal security.

F.—Instructors

Under policies of the Department of the Army and Department of the Air Force, selection and assignment of qualified instructors is reserved as a function of Headquarters, Department of the Army, and Headquarters, Department of the Air Force. The supervision of the training responsibility of the instructors is vested in the Chief, Army Field Forces, and Chief of Reserve Forces, Headquarters, United States Air Force. Personnel on duty as instructors with the National Guard will have no command status with troops or units of the National Guard, nor will they be subject to orders of State military authorities. The primary duty of instructors will be to advise and assist responsible commanders in the attainment and maintenance of that state of efficiency of the National Guard units as is prescribed by Headquarters, Department of the Army and Headquarters, Department of the Air Force.

G.—National Guard Bureau

The National Guard Bureau is charged with administration of approved Department of the Army and Department of the Air Force policies, other than those relative to training, for the National Guard not in the service of the United States. It is further charged with the promulgation of Department of the Army and Department of the Air Force directives and regulations applicable to the National Guard, including those relating to training. It is further charged with the keeping of Department of the Army and Department of the Air Force records pertaining to the National Guard, except for current records in time of war or national emergency.

H.—National Guard

All policies affecting the National Guard are prepared by the General Staff Committee on National Guard Policy (known as the "Section Five Committee") for action by the Secretary of the Army and Secretary of the Air Force under normal Department of the Army and Department of the Air Force procedure. All regulations to carry such policies into effect are reviewed by this committee.

MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD ALLOCATION AND PRESENT STATUS

I.—ALLOCATION

The Montana National Guard is the organized military force of the State, except when ordered into Federal service in time of war. During

times of peace, the Governor is Commander-in-Chief of the National Guard and exercises his command through the Adjutant General. The Adjutant General is assisted, during training periods, in the administration of the National Guard of the State by a Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment consisting of 16 officers and 19 enlisted men in the National Guard Section and 8 officers in the Selective Service Section, for the army N. G. The Adjutant General is assisted by Hq. ANG in the administration of the ANG which is composed of 7 officers and 6 airmen.

PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION

		AGGREGATE			Date of Fed. Rec.
		Enlisted Men	OFF	Aggre- gate	
163d INF. REGT.					
Hq. & Hq. Co.	Bozeman	70	15	2	21 Apr. 47
Service Co.	Helena	59	4	6	22 Apr. 47
Hvy. Mortar Co.	Malta	36	4	1	16 Jul. 47
Hvy. Tank Co.	Chinook	70	4	1	15 Jul. 47
Medical Co.	Helena	32	8		5 Oct. 49
1st BATTALION					
Hq. Co.	Culbertson	29	9		17 Jul. 47
A Co.	Sidney	49	2	1	12 Dec. 47
B Co.	Poplar	34	2		8 Mar. 48
C Co.	Plentywood	34	2	1	9 Dec. 48
D Co.	Glasgow	51	4	1	26 Sep. 47
2nd BATTALION					
Hq. Co.	Livingston	34	8	1	25 Sep. 47
E Co.	Havre	41	5	1	21 Mar. 49
F Co.	Lewistown	30	4		14 Nov. 47
G Co.	Dillon	43	5	1	23 Sep. 49
H Co.	Harlowton	30	4		17 Dec. 48
3rd BATTALION					
Hq. Co.	Billings	36	11	1	28 Jul. 48
I Co.	Glendive	61	3		12 Nov. 47
K Co.—Sep. Det.	Miles City	36	2		29 Jul. 48
Sep. Det. K Co.	Forsyth	19	1		11 Jan. 50
L Co.	Roundup	32	5		20 Oct. 49
M Co.	Billings	37	5	1	30 Jul. 48
443d F. A. BN.					
Hq. Btry.	Missoula	49	11	2	8 Mar. 48
Service Btry.	Kalispell	56	4	1	12 Nov. 47
Medical Det.	Missoula	6	1		25 Apr. 49
A Btry.	Deer Lodge	61	4	1	13 Nov. 47
B Btry.	Missoula	50	6	1	29 Sep. 48
C Btry.	Kalispell	68	3	1	10 Dec. 47
210 ENG. COM. CO.	Bozeman	52	3	1	14 Nov. 47
46 ARMY BAND	Bozeman	20		1	24 Sep. 47
HQ. & HQ. DET.	Helena	19	21	2	30 Dec. 46
3660 ORD. M. M. CO.	Helena	68	5	3	10 Mar. 47
TOTAL—Army Units		1312	165	31	1508
HQ., AIR NG.	Helena	5	7		1 Dec. 51
AIR BASE FLIGHT E	Great Falls	2	1		1 Mar. 51
TOTAL—Air Units		7	8		15
		1319	173	31	1523

II.—DISCHARGES

A. During the two fiscal years covered in this report a considerable number of officers and enlisted men were discharged from the Montana National Guard for various reasons, thereby complicating the progressive training of the units. Discharges were granted as follows:

DISCHARGES — MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD

From 1 July 1950 to 30 June 1952

Resignations (Officers)	27
Hardship and Incompatible Occupation	27
Change of Residence to Another State	24
Enlistment in U. S. Army	103
Enlistment in Marine Corps	7
Enlistment in U. S. Navy	91
Enlistment in Air Force	33
Enlistment in another component	38
Review of Application for Enlistment	120
Accepted Commission in National Guard	73
Accepted Commission in Organized Reserve	18
Inaptness or Misconduct	0
Continued Absence from Military Duty	5
Re-enlistment in order to attend service schools	32
Convicted by Civil Court	2

B. The Inactive National Guard was reconstituted and transfers were made in December, 1948. Inactive National Guard status is provided to allow individuals who, for one reason or another, cannot maintain active participation, to revert to an inactive basis but still maintain their connection with the Montana National Guard for potential emergency service. No Inactive National Guard has been established for Air units as of 30 June, 1950. Army personnel transferred to the Inactive NG during fiscal year, 1949, included 16 officers and 158 enlisted men. Similar transfers throughout fiscal year, 1950, were granted to 13 officers and 404 enlisted men.

ROSTER OF ACTIVE OFFICERS AS OF 30 JUNE, 1952

NAME	UNIT
Brigadier General	
Mitchell, S. H.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Colonel	
Cheadle, Edwin K.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Neely, James F.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Rankin, Walter R.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Lt. Colonel	
Armstrong, Byron A.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Benson, William C.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163rd Inf.
Clarke, William H.	Hq., Mont. ANG
Foster, Mayhew Y.	Hq., 443rd FA Bn.
McCabe, James J.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
McKinney, Howard A.	Hq., 1st Bn., 163rd Inf.
Martin, George E.	Hq., 2nd Bn., 163rd Inf.
Morris, Horace M.	State Hq., & Hq. Det.

NAME

UNIT

Major

Adams, Marvin H.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Barker, James T.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Casper, Charles W.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Christensen, Arvild J.	Hq., 1st Bn., 163rd Inf.
Ellsworth, Edward C.	Hq., 443rd FA Bn.
Gilcrest, Leo J.	Hq., 2nd Bn., 163rd Inf.
Johnson, Robert B., Jr.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Kendall, Robert M.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Maynard, Edward B.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163rd Inf.
Meigs, Kenneth V.	Hq., 2d Bn., 163rd Inf.
Mudd, Joseph G.	Hq., 1st Bn., 163rd Inf.
Nelson, Howard I.	Serrvice Co., 163rd Inf.
Overturf, Arthur W.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Redpath, Don G.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Strong, Frank D.	Hq., 163rd Inf.
Thode, Harry W.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Trinder, Claude R.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.

Captain

Babcock, Harold C.	Co. E, 163d Inf.
Barfknecht, James F.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Borley, Lionel E.	Hq. Co. 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Chrisinger, Raymond C.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Dahlgren, Raymond D.	Btry B, 443d Bn.
Dardis, Robert L.	Hq., Mont. ANG
DeGroat, James R.	Hq., 163d Inf.
Fly, William D.	Hq., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Fordyce, Lewis R.	Hq. Co., 2d Bn., 163d Inf.
Fuqua, Lynn H.	210th Eng. Combat Co.
Goodwin, Manfred H.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Hansen, Christian A.	Co. A, 163d Inf.
Hargrave, Amos W.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Henry, Ralph C.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Hundahl, Maurice E.	Btry C, 443d FA Bn.
Kalberg, Louis C.	Hq. 2d Bn., 163d Inf.
Kendall, Richard C.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Keyes, Robert A.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
King, James H.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Kornelis, William S.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Leppink, Gerrit K.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
McNamara, John R.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Mizner, Dan K.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Moore, John A.	Hq., 163d Inf.
Murphy, Francis J.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Nardella, Frank	Hq., 2d Bn., 163d Inf.
Nelson, Raymond C.	Co. L, 163d Inf.
Nicholl, Willard	Medical Det., 443d FA Bn.

NAME

UNIT

Peters, Gordon T.	Hvy. Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Rhodes, Cecil C.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Riggert, William T.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Salsbury, James W., Jr.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Sather, Olaf K.	Hq., 163d Inf.
Schellin, Robert H.	Med. Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Schultz, Donald O.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Schwarzrock, James W.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Schennum, John L.	Hq., 163d Inf.
Sorby, Lyle V.	Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Swanson, Kenneth W.	Co. I, 163d Inf.
Warren, Gilbert V.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Weiser, John T.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Womack, John J.	Co. G, 163d Inf.
Zadra, Charles R.	Hq., Mont. ANG

First Lieutenant

Amsberry, Berton L.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Baugh, Kenneth J.	Co. K, 163d Inf.
Bechtel, Oscar F.	Co. F, 163d Inf.
Beley, Ward H.	Co. H, 163d Inf.
Blatt, Sheldon M.	Medium Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Clark, Harry S.	Co. A, 163d Inf.
Coffin, Verland C.	Co. M, 163d Inf.
Cooper, Walter T., Jr.	Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Cornwell, Alvin E.	Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Cunningham, Robert C.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Finnegan, Floyd T.	State Hq. & Hq. Detachment
Grossman, Raymond A.	Hq., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Hagenston, Arthur C.	Co. I, 163d Inf.
Henry, Dean D.	Co. H, 163d Inf.
Holmes, George	Btry B, 443d FA Bn.
Huso, Kenneth W.	Service Btry, 443d FA Bn.
Judge, Joseph P., Jr.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Kidder, Hugh G.	Btry. B. 443d FA Bn.
Kincheloe, Philip L.	3669th Ord. Co.
Kovatch, Merle S.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Lane, Jack I.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Lynch, Donald J.	Co. I, 163d Inf.
McElwain, Hugh P.	Btry. A, 443d FA Bn.
McKay, Leslie A.	Co. D, 163d Inf.
Marsh, Marhsall J.	Co. C, 163d Inf.
Meredith, Robert G.	Co. K, (Sep. Det.), 163d Inf.
Nybo, Clarence H.	Co. D, 163d Inf.
Olesen, Owen W.	Btry. C, 443d FA Bn.
Prescott, Gordon H.	Co. E, 163d Inf.
Reynolds, Hugh Z.	Co. H, 163d Inf.
Sage, Kenneth A.	Co. B, 163d Inf.
Sanderson, Richard P.	Co. M, 163d Inf.

NAME	UNIT
Seiffert, Roy E.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Sivertson, Maurice R.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Thompson, George W., Jr.	Co. B, 163d Inf.
Upshaw, Joseph W.	Medium Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Webber, Gordon W.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Wedgwood, William G.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Wedum, John J.	Co. G, 163d Inf.

Second Lieutenant

Annala, Robert G.	Hq., Mont. ANG
Bakker, John C.	3669th Ord. Co.
Ballard, Bryan W.	Co. M, 163d Inf.
Bell, Carl W.	Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Bergman, Alvan D.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Brainard, Richard C.	Medium Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Burditt, Donald J.	Hq., Mont. ANG
Cacciotti, Natalino G.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Conklin, Glenn H.	Btry C., 443d FA Bn.
Conrad, Melvin R.	Co. E, 163d Inf.
Davis, Berwyn G.	Co. E, 163d Inf.
DeBoer, Edward, Jr.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
DeWolf, William G.	3669th Ord. Co.
Dwight, Reuben L.	Hq. Btry., 443d Bn.
Feldman, Donald E.	210th Eng. Combat Co.
Fisher, Stanley M.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Gilbertson, Carlyn L.	Service Btry, 443d FA Bn.
Given, Richard J.	Co. G, 163d Inf.
Good, Carl E, Jr.	Co. M, 163d Inf.
Gregory, Horace W.	Btry. B, 443d FA Bn.
Habeger, John G.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Hansen, George G.	Co. L, 163d Inf.
Hansen, Theodore A.	Btry. A, 443d FA Bn.
Hanser, Harold F.	3669th Ord. Co.
Harris, Melvin E.	Co. D, 163d Inf.
Hetherington, Thomas C.	Btry. B, 443d FA Bn.
Heyer, Warren K.	Btry. B, 443d FA Bn.
Jones, James R.	Co. L, 163d Inf.
Kelly, Ralph C.	Hq., 443d FA Bn.
Kilroy, Leo A.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Klemke, Otto A.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Lees, John R.	Co. L, 163d Inf.
Liston, John T.	3669th Ord. Co.
Lohr, John D.	Co. G, 163d Inf.
Luckey, James F.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
McDonald, Shelby D.	Co. F, 163d Inf.
McGee, John J.	Co. G, 163d Inf.
McMillan, William L.	Co. D, 163d Inf.
McPike, Max W.	Hq. Btry, 443d FA Bn.
Mace, Daniel L.	Co. K, 163d Inf.

NAME	UNIT
Mattix, Edward R.	Co. F, 163d Inf.
Memovich, Robert H.	Btry. A, 443d FA Bn.
Mosher, Elton L.	St. Hq. & Hq. Det.
Musgrove, Gilbert E.	Co. L, 163d Inf.
Nichols, Aldon R.	Co. C, 163d Inf.
Nolan, Joseph C.	Co. G, 163d Inf.
Pewonka, Robert N.	Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Pfau, Harold J.	Co. F, 163d Inf.
Podhora, Fred W.	210th Eng. Combat Co.
Poole, Dean W.	Co. H, 163d Inf.
Roberts, Donald A.	Hq., Mont. ANG
Rouse, Ernest L., Jr.	Hq., Mont. ANG
Stepper Lester M.	Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.
Taylor, Maurice B.	Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Trask, Marvin W.	Btry. A, 443d FA Bn.
Tyanich, Peter	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Vogel, George H.	Co. M, 163d Inf.
Wagner, Albert V.	Hq. Co., 2d Bn., 163d Inf.
Willey, Earl C.	Service Btry., 443d FA Bn.
Wilson, Merlin R.	Co. E, 163d Inf.
Worley, James B.	Medical Co., 163d Inf.

CWO-3

Barrie, Charles F.	Service Btry, 443d FA Bn.
Harstad, Adolph L.	46th Army Band
Tillman, Thomas F.	3669th Ord. Co.

CWO-2

Clark, Oren D.	Hq. 443d FA Bn.
Dahl, John E.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Gerleman, Richard L.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Hammond, Benjamin L.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Humphrey, Melvin G.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Meldrum, James A.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Onslow, Donald R.	Btry. B, 443d FA Bn.

WOJG

Allison, Andrew M.	Co. F, 163d Inf.
Barry, John R.	Hq. Co., 2d Bn., 163d Inf.
Christensen, Leonard J.	Co. A, 163d Inf.
Eklund, Bertell B.	Service Btry., 443d FA Bn.
Fellerhoff, Jack J.	Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Fredlund, Theodore F.	Btry A, 443d FA Bn.
Frtiz, George J.	3669th Ord. Co.
Fry, Walter W.	Co. M, 163d Inf.
Fryslie, Harold A.	210th Eng. Combat Co.
Hertz, John P.	Hq. Btry., 443d FA Bn.

NAME	UNIT
Johnson, Edwin C.	3669th Ord. Co.
Johnson, Harvey A.	Co. C, 163d Inf.
Keim, Stephen F.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
King, Carl H.	Medium Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Kramer, George A.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Krieg, Kester K.	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Olson, Elmer O.	Hq. Co., 3d Bn., 163d Inf.
Score, Peter R.	Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Slama, Orland P.	Btry. C, 443d FA Bn.
Stagg, Orville H.	Co. D, 163d Inf.
Walters, Bruce D.	Co. G, 163d Inf.

ARMY TRAINING

I.—ARMORY DRILLS

Armory Drills are held forty-eight times per year at local armories. Each drill is of two hours duration and training is conducted in complete uniform and with equipment allotted to the various units. Officers and key Non-Commissioned Officers conduct classes in accordance with the National Guard Training Program covering the same military subjects given to personnel in the Regular Army. The complete training cycle requires three years and equals the basic and specialized training given Regular Army personnel. Most training at Armory Drills is conducted in the form of lectures, training films, and practical On-the-Job training covering such subjects as specialist training, motor maintenance, survey, supply, administration, bridge construction, etc. Armory Drills are generally scheduled once each week, four each month, twelve each quarter.

II.—FIELD TRAINING

Field training is a requirement of the Department of the Army and the National Guard Bureau. Successful training has been held each year since the re-activation of the Montana National Guard. Troops move from their home stations with all clothing and equipment for a fifteen day training period. The Federal Government pays the entire cost for housing, feeding, clothing, and training on the same basis as regular army units. The purpose of this training period is to put to practical test all the theoretical training given during the previous forty-eight Armory Drills. Training is carefully watched by senior commanders and their staffs, by Regular Army Instructors, and by an Inspection Team detailed by the Commanding General, Sixth Army. All deficiencies are corrected promptly and personnel instructed in the practical way to perform each task. Medical facilities are available at Fort William Henry Harrison at all times to handle any emergency. Personnel too seriously ill or injured are given first aid treatment and then evacuated to the Veterans' Administration Hospital, Fort Harrison, Montana, where the best possible medical attention is provided. The Annual Summer Field Training Encampments for Army Units were

held at Fort William Henry Harrison, from 16 to 30 June, 1951, and from 15 to 29 June, 1952.

III.—SPECIAL TRAINING

The National Guard Bureau authorized twelve additional days of training during 1951 and six during 1952 so that individual weapons practice could be completed at home stations, thus permitting more time for Unit training during the field training period. Approximately 50% of the personnel of the entire Montana Army National Guard fired their individual weapons for record prior to 1952 field training.

IV.—SERVICE SCHOOLS

In addition to Armory Drills and Annual Summer Field Training Encampments, National Guardsmen received specialized training at General and Special Service Schools of the Army and Air Force. An important factor in selection to attend Service Schools is ability to instruct, since these personnel are detailed as Instructors in their respective units after graduation.

Courses offered range from common specialist sources such as: Cooks and Bakers, Automotive Mechanics, Leaders' Courses, etc., for Enlisted Men, through the various levels of command and staff for Officers. During the biennium eighty-one (81) officers and two hundred and four (204) enlisted men attended Army Service Schools, and six (6) Officers and eight (8) Enlisted Men attended Air Force Service Schools. Attendance was as follows:

AUTHORIZATIONS FOR SERVICE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

School—	Enl.	
	Officers	Men
Infantry	30	45
Ordnance	5	22
Artillery	33	33
Engineers	5	12
Cooks and Bakers	0	15
Food Service	2	15
Miscellaneous	20	54
Air Force Schools	6	8
Transfer to Inactive.	20	319

REGULAR ARMY INSTRUCTORS

I.—GENERAL

The primary mission of the 6512 ASU, Montana National Guard Instructor Group, is to advise and assist in the organization, maintenance and training of the Montana National Guard in accordance with current directives.

II.—SENIOR ARMY INSTRUCTOR

He is responsible for liaison between the Army Commander and the Adjutant General of Montana. He acts as Military Advisor to the

State Adjutant General. He also supervises and co-ordinates the official work of all Army Instructors in the State.

III.—ARMY INSTRUCTORS

The principal duty of the Army Instructors is to further the efficiency of National Guard units through assistance and advice to responsible commanders on such matters as attendance records, payrolls, enlistment records, supply records and required reports submitted to higher headquarters. They conduct inspections of arms and equipment; they participate in Armory Drill periods and maintain liaison between National Guard units and the Senior Army Instructor.

In addition to the Army Instructors for Infantry and Artillery, an Army Aviation Advisor-Instructor and an Ordnance Technical Advisor are assigned to the Montana National Guard Instructor Group.

The Army Aviation Advisor-Instructor advises on matters pertaining to liaison type aircraft furnished National Guard units; conducts operational training courses for pilots; conducts technical inspections and advises National Guard aviation sections in matters of flight training. The Ordnance Technical Advisor assists in the operation of the State of Maintenance plan covering receipt, storage and issue of Ordnance supplies and equipment, and advises on maintenance of records and control of supplies. He also acts as Instructor of the 3669th Ordnance (MM) Company.

The administrative section prepares all official directives of the headquarters, maintains files, processes correspondence, checks and advises on NG strength reports, payrolls and vouchers.

IV.—PERSONNEL

The table of distribution for the Montana National Guard Instructor Group authorizes the assignment of eight officers, one warrant officer, and twelve enlisted personnel. On 30 June 1952 the distribution of the assignments of three instructors was as follows:

Office of the Senior Army Instructor		
Office of the Regimental Instructor—163d RCT, Montana National Guard		
Office of the 1st Battalion Instructor—163d Infantry		
Office of the 2d Battalion Instructor—163d Infantry		
Office of the 3d Battalion Instructor—163d Infantry		
Office of the 443d FA Battalion Instructor		
Colonel Robert L. MILLER	Senior Army Instructor	Helena
Major Robert L. BROWN, Jr.	Army Aviation Advisor	Helena
Captain Morris F. DUMANSKE	Ordnance Technical Advisor	Helena
CWO Paul E. TROSETH	Administrative Assistant	Helena
M/Sgt. Glyn W. FAHIEN	Sergeant Major	Helena
SFC Kenneth A. WRIGHT	Administrative Clerk	Helena
SFC Johnnie V. HILL	Assistant Instructor	Helena
Major Duncan E. DUVALL	Regimental Instructor	Bozeman
M/Sgt. Coy J. ESKELSON	Assistant Instructor	Bozeman
Major Warren E. McNULTY	1st Bn. Instructor	Glasgow
M/Sgt. Robert GAN-ALEZ	Assistant Instructor	Glasgow
M/Sgt. Loyal L. JOHNSON	Assistant Instructor	Glasgow
Captain Aulbry C. HITCHINGS	2d Bn Instructor	Livingston
M/Sgt. Fred KROMM	Assistant Instructor	Livingston
Captain Gale T. GRAHAM	3d Bn Instructor	Billings
SFC Wilford G. WATON	Assistant Instructor	Billings
Captain Lawrence P. FICK	FA Instructor	Missoula
SFC Travis W. POOLE	Assistant Instructor	Missoula

SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE

I.—OFFICE OF THE USP&DO

For many years the National Guard Bureau has required each State to appoint an officer known as the United States Property and Disbursing Officer (USP&DO) to receive, store and issue Federal property issued to the State, to handle, disburse, and account for Federal funds allotted to the State, and to perform certain other miscellaneous functions of a Federal nature, such as making purchases and executing contracts for the Federal government. This officer is required to be a Federally recognized officer of the National Guard and his appointment is subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Army. The Federal government normally pays a major portion of this officer's salary.

Since the reorganization of the National Guard, the National Guard Bureau has offered to all States to place on extended active duty in the Army a qualified officer, mutually acceptable to the State and to the National Guard Bureau, to serve as Acting USP&DO for the State. This officer is thus paid by the Federal government and is loaned to the State without cost, yet he is part of the staff of the Adjutant General and subject to his jurisdiction as such.

In brief, the USP&DO now handles all matters pertaining to Federal equipment and supplies for the Montana National Guard, maintains accounts for all Federal funds allotted to the State, makes purchases from Federal Funds, executes contracts of various types on behalf of the Federal government pertaining to the Montana National Guard, and certifies vouchers to be paid out of Federal funds allotted to the State. Federal funds are made available to provide the USP&DO with administrative, supply, clerical, stenographic and warehousing assistance. No State funds have been available for this purpose, the entire cost being paid from National Guard Bureau funds.

II.—MAINTENANCE

All military equipment in the hands and used by the Montana National Guard is on a loan basis from the United States or the Federal Government. The maintenance and storage of this equipment has become a problem of considerable magnitude for the post war, World War II, National Guard.

The over-all maintenance program is administered by the State Maintenance Officer who is employed by the Federal Government and is responsible to the Adjutant General of the State in establishing and executing a satisfactory physical maintenance program. Personnel to operate the program are paid from Federal funds. A total of forty-nine personnel are employed at present to implement the program.

Maintenance of the equipment starts with unit or user maintenance. Each individual using a piece of equipment must do all maintenance and repair these pieces with the tools and knowledge that he possesses. Work that he cannot accomplish then goes to the Unit Mechanic or specialist trained and equipped to a higher degree.

Each Company or Battery has one full-time employee, which accounts for thirty of the personnel mentioned. This Caretaker is specially trained and charged with receipt, storage and maintenance of all property issued to the Unit Commander and at the Unit's home station.

Maintenance work that cannot be performed by personnel of the unit is passed on to what is known as field maintenance. The Field Maintenance shop located at Helena performs this type of work. Personnel of this shop account for the balance of nineteen of the personnel mentioned above.

This group performs maintenance of automotive vehicles, tanks, liaison aircraft, artillery, small arms, radios, fire control instruments, recoilless weapons and other tech-service equipment. All work to be passed from units to the maintenance shop is reported on a work order to the State Maintenance Officer who in turn notifies the Unit Commander whether to deliver the material to the State Maintenance Shop or hold it in the Unit Storage to be repaired by a Contact (traveling) team of mechanics from the State Maintenance Shop that call on each unit semi-annually for the purpose of inspecting and repairing military equipment.

Repairs of a higher degree than the State Maintenance shop can perform are accomplished by evacuating the material, at Federal cost, to the regular Army shop or shops assigned as the parent maintenance organization. The equipment is repaired and returned to the using unit or replaced by new equipment at no cost to the State.

III.—EQUIPMENT CONCENTRATION SITE

As many armory and vehicle storage facilities for units of the Montana National Guard are inadequate for proper storage of their equipment, it has been necessary to assemble bulky items at a central location. Accordingly an Equipment Construction site was established at Fort William Henry Harrison, Montana, in May, 1949. Items of equipment are processed for storage to prevent deterioration upon being turned in to the Concentration Site. When required for field training the items are deprocessed and re-issued to the unit to which they belong. By assembling this equipment at one point it may be maintained more efficiently with fewer personnel and the life of the equipment extended through a reduction of wear and tear. Savings in transportation costs are also effected by locating the equipment at the field training site. Personnel for this operation is authorized by the National Guard Bureau and are paid from federal funds.

STATE SUPPORT

I.—RESPONSIBILITY

Responsibilities of the State of Montana in connection with the support of the Montana National Guard include:

A. The furnishing of personnel for the allotted units by voluntary recruiting methods.

B. Furnishing adequate armories for drill periods.

C. Providing adequate storage facilities for federal property issued the Montana National Guard.

D. Providing proper supervision and administration to include maintenance of records of the units of the Montana NG in the office of the Adjutant General.

II.—STATE APPROPRIATIONS

ADJUTANT GENERAL DEPARTMENT

These functions, being responsibility of the State, are supported by funds made available from the General Fund of the State by the State legislature. Expenditure of these monies during the two-year period is as follows:

SALARIES

Adjutant General	\$ 4,200.00	\$ 4,200.00
Assistant Adjutant General	3,600.00	3,600.00
Clerical	3,120.00	3,120.00
Stenographic	8,280.00	8,280.00
Custodian-Repairman	3,882.50	3,882.50
Other	2,472.50	2,472.50
Total Salaries	\$ 25,555.00	\$ 25,555.00

OPERATION

Postage	600.00	600.00
Stationery, Record Books & Blanks	300.00	300.00
Sundry Office Supplies & Expenses	950.00	950.00
Telephone & Telegraph	1,990.00	1,990.00
Heat, Light, Power & Water	12,805.00	12,805.00
Official Bonds	450.00	450.00
Rental of Drill Halls, Armories & Airfields	39,720.00	39,720.00
Travel	3,900.00	3,900.00
Uniform Allowance	8,295.00	8,295.00
Allowances to Companies	6,650.00	6,650.00
Physical Examinations	2,600.00	2,500.00
Vaccinations & Inoculations	2,250.00	2,250.00
Truck Storage & Expense	730.00	605.00
Rental of Hanger Space	700.00	700.00
Subscriptions & Periodicals	50.00	50.00
Industrial Accident Insurance	300.00	300.00
P. E. R. S. Contribution	1,310.00	1,310.00
General Supplies & Expenses	6,300.00	6,300.00
Insurance on Army Type Vehicles	2,000.00	2,000.00
Total Operation	\$ 91,900.00	\$ 91,675.00

CAPITAL

Machinery & Appliances	300.00	
Hand Tools & Petty Equipment	50.00	50.00
Furniture & Fixtures	300.00	
Library & Reference Books	50.00	50.00
Total Capital	\$ 700.00	\$ 100.00

REPAIRS & REPLACEMENTS

Buildings & Attached Fixtures	100.00	100.00
Machinery & Appliances	600.00	75.00
Hand Tools & Petty Equipment	75.00	75.00
Furniture & Fixtures	175.00	100.00
Total Repairs & Replacements	\$ 950.00	\$ 350.00

III.—PERSONNEL

Personnel employed in the office of the Adjutant General of Montana, paid from State funds, as of 30 June 1952 are as follows:

Brig. Gen. S. H. Mitchell	The Adjutant General for Montana
Robert A. Keyes	Assistant Adjutant General
Larry B. Heller	Military Clerk
Marian Kruse	Sec. Steno
Margaret Hauberg	Typist-Bookkeeper
James Meness	Stockroom Clerk

Salaries for the State employees listed below are paid from State funds. However, reimbursement is made by the Federal government to the State in the amount of 75 per cent of such salaries.

William J. Weiser	Maintenance Supervisor, Fort Harrison
Jack E. Milligan	Assistant Maint. Supervisor, Fort Harrison
Harry I. Condon	Repairman, Fort Harrison
Allen Dohemy	Repairman, Gore Field

Additional temporary personnel are employed for several months prior to each annual field training encampment at Fort Harrison to assist in preparing the camp site and in repairing buildings and utilities.

FEDERAL SUPPORT

I.—GENERAL

Responsibilities of the Federal government in the support of the National Guard include clothing, equipping, supplying, and arming individuals and units. The Federal government also furnishes outdoor training facilities and supervises training. All pay and allowances to individuals for field training, attendance at service schools, and armory drill are from Federal funds. Subsistence is furnished to enlisted men at field training and service schools by the Federal government.

II.—SUPPLY AND EQUIPMENT

In addition to furnishing clothing, arms and equipment, the Federal government through the National Guard Bureau, provides for the maintenance of these items. Funds are available for equipment repair, and cleaning and repair of uniforms. In the Air National Guard, where maintenance of aircraft and vehicles is a major problem, a substantial number of air technician personnel is employed on a full-time basis, with funds also being made available for necessary full-time administrative and supervisory specialists. Each company-size Army unit is authorized to employ on a full-time basis a mechanic, general, unit materiel, usually referred to as a unit caretaker. He assists in the supply and maintenance functions of the unit. Many units, dependent on their need, also have an administrative assistant on a full or part-time basis to assist in the "paper-work" activities of their unit. Maintenance personnel of the State Maintenance Shop and the Equipment Concentration Site are all paid from Federal monies. All accounting clerks in the office of the USP & DO are carried on Federal payrolls.

III.—NON-DISABILITY RETIREMENT

Public Law 810, which provides non-disability retirement pay for officers and men of the National Guard in the highest grade held by them was approved by the President 29 June 1948.

The act provides an additional incentive to younger men to join the National Guard and remain active, and further compensates older guardsmen who have given many years of service to their country.

The law provides that any person not a member of a Regular force, who attains the age of 60 and who has performed satisfactory service in the status of commissioned officer, warrant officer, or enlisted person in the Army or Air National Guard, and who has completed an aggregate of 20 or more years' satisfactory service in any or all of the services, shall be granted retirement benefits.

Payment of this retirement is made from Federal funds. A number of former Montana National Guardsmen are receiving retirement pay for their Guard service at the present time.

IV.—CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES

The National Defense Act permits the employment from Federal funds of caretakers, administrative assistants, air technicians, accounting clerks, and maintenance personnel. Men employed as caretakers, air technicians, and administrative assistants must be members of the National Guard, and must be assigned table of organization positions in units comparable to those they held as civilian employees, to preclude any disruption of duties in the event of mobilization. All maintenance personnel and most accounting clerks are also members of the National Guard. Employees paid from Federal funds as of 30 June 1952 were:

ROSTER OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

OFFICE OF THE U. S. PROPERTY AND DISBURSING OFFICER HARRY W. THODE, Major FC Mont. NG-USP&DO

Name	Position
Charles W. Casper.....	Adm. Assistant to the USP&DO
Gerrit K. Leppink	Chief Clerk
John T. Weiser.....	Field Auditor & Inspector
George A. Kramer	Clerk Tech Supply
Alan D. O'Leary	Clerk Tech Transportation
Peter Tyanich	Clerk Tech Finance
Kenneth G. Grieb	Clerk Finance
Thomas E. Nopper	Clerk Finance
Donald V. Mehring.....	Supply Clerk
Beryl W. Goshorn	Clerk Stenographer
Daniel F. Carson	Clerk Typist
Lynne A. Bertram	Clerk Typist

Warehouse Personnel

James H. King	Storekeeper Supervisor
Melvin G. Humphrey	Supply Clerk

Frank R. Tillo	Clerk Parts Automotive
William M. Liston	Storekeeper
Thomas C. Stevens	Truck Driver-Material Handler

Equipment Concentration Site

Philip L. Kincheloe	Supervisor-Equipment Concentration Site
Charles J. Rauser	Mechanical Automotive Wheel Vehicle
Joseph F. Yetter	Mechanic Automotive Wheel Vehicle

STATE MAINTENANCE SHOP

JAMES F. NEELY, Col. Inf., State Maintenance Officer

Name	Position
Claude R. Trinder	Supervisor Automotive Maint. and Repair
George J. Fritz	Master Mechanic Auto Maint. Pool
Jack J. Rauser	Inspector Equipment Maintenance
John T. Liston	Clerk Parts Automotive
Robert F. Morgan	Clerk Shop
Marian H. Lindstrom	Clerk Stenographer
Albert J. Glueckert	Mechanic Airplane & Engineer
Clifford B. Sampson	Repairman Inst. Fire Control
Edward J. Holshue	Mechanic Artillery Heavy
Joseph J. Tillo	Welder Combination
Benjamin L. Moore	Mechanic Engine Wheel Vehicle
John W. Moore	Mechanic Engine Wheel Vehicle
Fred E. Glueckert	Mechanic Automotive Wheel Vehicle
Pius A. Kuhl	Mechanic Automotive Wheel Vehicle
Walter H. Tipton	Repairman Radio
Charles J. Ward	Mechanic Automotive Wheel Vehicle
Basil W. Leaf	Leather & Canvas Worker
Charles J. Stein	Repairman Utility
Leonard D. Van Diest	Mechanic Weapons Hand & Shoulder
Dale T. Cote	Painter General

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS

Name	Unit
Robert B. Johnson, Jr.	R.C.T. Administrative Assistant Hq. 163d Inf.
Hugh P. McElwain	Administrative Assistant Hq. 443d FA Bn.
Francis X. Muller	Hq. 163d Inf.
Clifford E. Abbott	Co. "K" 163d Inf.
Wendell F. Anderson	Hvy. Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
John W. Ashworth	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Genalگو C. Alsberg	Co. "D" 163d Inf.
John R. Barry	Hq. & Hq. Co., 2d Bn. 163d Inf.
Leonard J. Christensen	Co. "A" 163d Inf.
Clyde R. Cole	Co. "F" 163d Inf.

Edward A. Eiden	Co. "I" 163d Inf.
Ray K. Eder	Co. "B" 163d Inf.
Jack H. Fellerhoff	Hq. & Hq. Co., 163d Inf.
Harold A. Frysle	210th Engr. Combat Co.
John P. Hertz	Hq. & Hq. Btry. 443d FA Bn.
Stephen F. Keim	Service Co., 163d Inf.
Dean W. Larsen	Hq. & Hq. Co., 1st Bn. 163d Inf.
Lyle P. Louis	Co. "G" 163d Inf.
Elmer O. Olson	Hq. & Hq. Co. 3d Bn. 163d Inf.
Donald R. Onslow	Btry "B" 443d FA Bn.
John W. Shockley	Med. Tank Co., 163d Inf.
Robert R. Watts	Co. "L" 163d Inf.
Frank E. Willems	Co. "H" 163d Inf.
Richard E. Williams	3669th Ord. Med. Maint. Co.
Harvey A. Johnson*	Co. "C" 163d Inf.
William A. Marquardt*	Co. "E" 163d Inf.
John E. Dahl*	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Theodore F. Fredlund*	Btry. "A" 443d FA Bn.
Bertell B. Eklund	Service Btry 443d FA Bn.
Orland P. Slama	Btry. "C" 443d FA Bn.
Walter W. Fry*	Co. "M" 163d Inf.

* Indicates Part-time.

MECHANICS, GENERAL, UNIT MATERIEL (UNIT CARETAKERS)

Name	Unit
Robert C. Anklaam	Hq. & Hq. Co., 1st Bn. 163d Inf.
John B. Balkema	Hq. & Hq. Co. 163d Inf.
Paul D. Caruso	Co. "I" 163d Inf.
James H. Cornell	Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.
Milton A. Coty, Jr.	State Hq. & Hq. Det.
Warren T. Farmer, Jr.	Btry "A" 443d FA Bn.
Verne E. Gibbs	Co. "B" 163d Inf.
Wesley I. Goheen	Co. "E" 163d Inf.
Clare A. Green	Co. "K" 163d Inf.
John M. Hamilton	Med. Tank Co. 163d Inf.
Rudolph Hicks	Hq. & Hq. Co., 2d Bn. 163d Inf.
Orville E. Isakson	Btry. C., 443d FA Bn.
Robert G. Kerner	Hq. & Hq. Co., 3d Bn. 163d Inf.
John R. Kilmer	Service Co., 163d Inf.
John J. McQuirk	Service Btry. 443d FA Bn.
Alfred P. Mehus	Hq. & Hq. Btry. 443d FA Bn.
Vernon Michalson	3669th Ord. Med. Maint. Co.
Robert L. Montgomery	210th Engr. Combat Co.
Michael Proulx, Jr.	Co. "G" 163d Inf.
Joseph J. Rath	Co. "L" 163d Inf.
Raymond R. Richardson	Co. "M" 163d Inf.
Alton E. Robertson	2669th Ord. Med. Maint. Co.
Kenneth E. Shaw	Medical Co., 163d Inf.
Perry T. Smith	Co. "H" 163d Inf.
Otto C. Specht	Btry. "B" 443d FA Bn.

Frank L. Stephens	Co. "F" 163d Inf.
Ernest L. Vert	Co. "C" 163d Inf.
Arlet A. Wyant.....	Co. "A" 163d Inf.
Harvey L. Pierce—1/3 time.....	46th Army Band

MONTANA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

Hq. Montana ANG

Name	Position
Francis J. Murphy.....	Air Adm. Assistant

USP&DO Air Section

Ruth Evans	Clerk Typist
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Air Base Flight "E"

Robert L. Dardis.....	Flight Commander
Charles R. Zadra	Assistant Flight Commander
George W. Roadhouse.....	Air Technician Supply
Donald J. Burditt.....	Mechanic A & E (Sr.)
Harry C. Carlson	Mechanic A & E (Jr.)

V.—ALLOTMENT OF FUNDS

The magnitude of the operation of the Montana National Guard and the extent to which it is a source of income to the State of Montana is apparent when it is realized that Federal funds of over two million dollars have been expended for its support during the biennium. The Guard therefore is worthy of the whole-hearted support of every community where a unit is located if for no other reason than its being a source of income to the locality. Records indicate that slightly more than one million dollars was expended from Federal sources during fiscal year 1951. During the following fiscal year the total amount was just under one million dollars although expenditures for all purposes had increased with the major exception of the construction program. For the two-year period, State support amounted to approximately ten per cent of the total funds expended in support of the Montana National Guard, with Federal funds being furnished for ninety per cent of the expenditures. Federal support for the period is shown by the following table:

FEDERAL FUNDS EXPENDED IN SUPPORT OF MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD

Army Units	Fiscal Year 1951	Fiscal Year 1952
Pay and Allowances, Field Training	\$ 129,135.92	\$ 132,193.22
Pay and Allowances, Unit Schools	28,196.55	8,584.09
Week-end Inactive Duty Training	59,445.71	34,214.88

Subsistence for Field Training and Schools	24,203.01	33,292.60
Operation of Units, Misc.....	3,748.60	2,409.01
Transportation of Property	3,743.94	3,542.91
Fuels and Lubricants	18,494.05	18,551.27
Maintenance of Equipment	2,510.00	2,697.78
Travel Expenses	9,702.41	4,908.05
Pay of Civilian Employees	279,012.94	339,053.26
Field Training Expenses, Misc.	338.93	6,902.30
Repairs and Operation Army Facilities	39,184.20	27,423.99
Medical Care	81.85
Construction of Army Facilities	25,836.00
Service Schools	42,045.77	44,913.27
Training Aids	845.00	426.34
Armory Drill Training	234,308.63	238,171.42
Total Expenditures—Army Units	\$ 900,733.51	897,284.39

Air Units

Transportation of Supplies and Eqpt.	\$ 7,177.41	\$ 489.19
Base Operations and Maintenance	28,219.53	6,639.78
Pay of Civilian Employees	177,788.96	29,735.99
Repair and Minor Construction	2,864.00	9,899.65
Field Training Expenses	3,207.40	2,504.37
Service Schools and Training	7,944.00
Training Supplies	477.70
Medical Care	177.25
Armory Drill Training	38,524.62	4,723.91
Total Expenditures—Air Units	\$ 266,320.87	\$ 53,992.89
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,167,054.38	951,277.28
TOTAL FOR BIENNIUM		\$2,118,331.66

FACILITIES

I.—ARMORIES

A responsibility of the State in the operation of the Montana National Guard is the furnishing of armory facilities for training purposes and for the storage of supplies and equipment. This has been, and remains a major problem in Montana. While some State-owned facilities are available, many units are located in space which is rented from individuals, cities, and counties. Some of the State-owned and most of the rental space is entirely inadequate for efficient assembly and instruction of troops and does not provide adequate or secure storage facilities. Units which must train in such sub-standard armory space are faced with difficulties in maintaining a high proficiency in training as well as finding their recruiting problem multiplied many times by not being able to offer an attractive meeting place. The fact that units of the Montana National Guard have been able to obtain such excellent results with their training program is due to the keen interest of individuals concerned as armory facilities in general are inadequate.

By act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana, there exists a quasi-official State Board empowered to construct, rent, lease or procure armories, to issue bonds for such construction, and maintain such armories in a satisfactory state of repair. This board is known as the State Armory Board. It had constructed armories at Helena, Bozeman and Poplar prior to World War II. Plans had been prepared for additional construction in other cities when World War II brought an end to such projects. Recently the Congress of the United States enacted legislation to assist States in the construction of armories on a fund-matching basis. This was enabling legislation only. Federal governmental studies are now being made to resolve the many legal and technical problems which might occur in providing such funds. When funds are finally made available it is probable that additional armory construction will be undertaken by the Montana Armory Board.

During the past several years government funds have been made available in limited amounts for the construction of motor vehicle storage buildings for housing Federal vehicles and equipment. Funds for this construction are 100% federal. In Montana such buildings have been erected at Billings, Kalispell, Chinook, Malta and Harlowton. In some cases it has been necessary to use these structures as temporary armories, although they are not adequately designed for such use.

Rental space consists of space in civic centers,, store basements, fairgrounds buildings and even a dairy barn. Following is list of army units with their present armory housing:

Unit	Location	Type of Facility	Acquisition
Hq. & Hq. Co. 163d Infantry	Bozeman	Armory Building	State-owned
46th Army Band	Bozeman		
210th Engineer Combat Co.	Bozeman		
State Hqrs. & Hqs. Detachment	Helena	Armory Building	State-owned
Service Co., 163d Inf.	Helena		
Medical Co., 163d Inf.	Helena		
Heavy Mortar Co., 163d Inf.	Malta		
Tank Co. (Medium), 163d Inf.	Chinook		
Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 163d Inf.	Culbertson	Civic Center	Rented from city
A Co., 163d Inf.	Sidney	Motor Vehicle Storage Bldg.,	State-owned
B Co., 163d Inf.	Poplar	Civic Center	Rented from County
C Co., 163d Inf.	Plentywood	Motor Vehicle Storage Bldg.	State-owned
D Co., 163d Inf.	Glasgow	Armory Bldg.	Rented from School District
Hq. Co., 2d Bn., 153d Inf.	Livingston	N.Y.A. Center	Rented from County
E Co., 163d Inf.	Havre	Armory Building	State-owned
F Co., 163d Inf.	Lewistown	Civic Center	Rented from City
G Co., 163d Inf.	Dillon	Civic Center	Rented from City
H Co., 163d Inf.	Harlowton	Store basement	Rented from individual
Hq. Co., 3d Bn. 163d Inf.	Billings	Civic Center	Rented from City
M Co.	Billings	Church Bldg.	Rented from Church Board
I Co.	Glendive		Rented from American Legion
K Co. (less Separate Det.)	Miles City	Dept. of the Army	Licensed by the
Separate Detachment (Co. K)	Forsyth	Buildings, Ft. Missoula	Dept. of the
L Co.	Roundup		Army to the State
Hq. Btry., 443d FA Bn.	Missoula	Motor Vehicle Storage Bldg.	State-owned
B Btry, 443d FA Bn.	Missoula		
Medical Det., 443d FA Bn.	Missoula		
Service Btry., 443d FA Bn.	Kalispell		
C Btry., 443d FA Bn.	Kalispell		
A Btry., 443d FA Bn.	Deer Lodge		
3669th Ord. Med. Maint. Co.	Helena	City Pavilion	Rented from City
186th Fighter Squad., SE	Great Falls	Fort William Henry Harrison	Licensed by the Dept. of the Army to the State
		Gore Field	Leased from city of Great Falls

II.—FEDERAL FACILITIES

Fort William Henry Harrison, a Department of the Army facility, is made available to the State of Montana by a license extending for five years. This license will undoubtedly be renewed when the original term expires. Fort Harrison is used for summer field training, armory training of the 3669 Ordnance, M M Company, and is the location of the State Maintenance Shop and the Equipment Concentration Site. Some USP&DO warehouses are also located there.

A portion of Fort Missoula Military Reservation, including the Target Range Area, is also licensed by the Department of the Army to the State of Montana. This facility, as shown above, is used as armory and storage space for Guard units located at Missoula.

A lease exists between the City of Great Falls and the Federal government for the use by the Montana Air National Guard of certain buildings, including an administration building, hangar, motor pool building, and warehouse at Gore Field.

Near Billings the Federal government has leased from individuals sufficient land for a small arms range for use of units in that vicinity.

III.—SERVICE CONTRACTS

For federally owned or leased facilities at Fort Harrison, Fort Missoula and Gore Field, the cost of maintenance and operation of buildings and grounds is considerable. Since the federal government has an interest in these facilities, service contracts between the State and Federal governments have been entered into to provide for reimbursement to the Adjutant General by the National Guard Bureau for 75% of the cost of maintenance and repair of the building and grounds. These contracts were continued in effect during the biennium with only slight changes. The amount covered by the service contract at Gore Field was reduced during fiscal year 1952 as the 186th Fighter Squadron, previously based there, was in federal service and only an Air Base Flight occupied the facility. Amounts covered by the contracts are as follows:

SERVICE CONTRACTS

Location	F Y 1952		F Y 1951	
	Federal Share	State Share	Federal Share	State Share
Fort Harrison	\$14,854.00	\$ 4,950.00	\$16,000.00	\$ 5,333.33
Fort Missoula	3,203.33	1,067.77	2,962.00	987.33
Gore Field	21,500.00	7,166.67	10,00.00	3,333.33

AIR NATIONAL GUARD

I.—GENERAL

Prior to World War II the entire National Guard of Montana consisted of Army units. With the reorganization of the Guard after that

war, the State was authorized to organize an Air Force Fighter Squadron with its supporting units. Because of the housing requirements for this type of unit and the necessity of locating it near one of the larger centers of population, Gore Field, near Great Falls was chosen as most nearly meeting requirements. Therefore on 27 June 1947 the 186th Fighter Squadron, S. E., and supporting units were activated at Gore Field.

At the beginning of fiscal year 1948 the Montana Air National Guard had just completed their first summer encampment which had been held at Gore Field.

On the 1st of April, 1951, the 186th Fighter Sqdn., Mont. Air National Guard was called into active Federal Service and were sent to Moody Air Force Base, Valdesto, Ga. for training. The following personnel Montana Air National Guard accompanied the Squadron to active Federal Service.

186TH FIGHTER SQUADRON SE

Lt. Col.

Blacker, Jack A. AO73695

Captain

Anderson, Marvin M. AO758509

EAD 14 Feb 51

Breeding, Robert H. AO936946

EAD 14 Feb 51

Edbergh, Rolland E. AO379831

EAD 14 Feb 51

Gemberling, Edwin L. AO2059687

Lee, Warren M. AO768134

EAD 14 Feb 51

Pogreba, Dean A. AO776026

Schrammeck, Donald R. AO763747

EAD 14 Feb 51

Withey, George F. AO1298632

EAD 14 Feb 51

Young, Rodger D. AO2043130

1st. Lt.

Barnes, Robert C. AO778375

Bennett, Charles W. AO752306

Cheley, William AO763950

Coefield, Thomas C. AO779097

Dahlquist, Kenneth R. AO763272

Dowse, Richard A. AO779399

Dunning, Robert W. AO2086019

Fugit, Robert J. AO719301

Haggerty, Edward L. AO778136

Halphide, Mark AO557343

Hanson, Clifford E.	AO779859
Harvey, Howard D.	AO2066664
Kerin, Thomas S.	AO1637811
Larkin, Jack A.	AO1702884
Livesey, George	AO1903745
EAD 14 Feb 51	
Moe, Morris E.	AO768387
Peterson, Ralph C.	AO1903520
Peterson, Willard B.	AO678917
Sherman, Robert B.	AO674014
EAD 14 Feb 51	
Smith, Donald S.	AO2082543
Smith, Elvin E.	AO537926
Soltesz, William R.	AO765335
EAD 14 Feb 51	
Strause, Fred C.	AO1907618
Svingen, Perry N.	AO2035162
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Thompson, Jack H.	AO1907743
Trudeau, Elmo C.	AO886839
Whalen, Emmett J.	AO942856

2nd Lt.

Dalry, Norman C.	AO1907605
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Hutchins, Billy F.	No. S. N. Assigned
Lewis Raymond T.	AO1903657
EAD 14 Feb 51	
Wenger, Edward H.	AO1907635
EAD 2 Feb 51	

CWO

Monteiro, Henry F. T.	AW2125575
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M/SGT

Armstrong, Earl L.	AF28712385
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Coons, Kenneth C.	AF19056000
Cravens, Robert N.	AF28712602
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Feiden, James S.	AF28712462
Fov, David W.	AF191124583
Kivi, Eino	AF19070679
Lindsey, Morris G.	AF28712410
Nelson, Grant N.	AF37137647
Rutz, Ruben	AF28712380
Schmidt, Gotthilf	AF19070420
Tanberg, Rex W.	AF39082716
Wildin, Donald W.	AF28712615

T/SGT

Aubertin, Raymond J.	AF19040063
Bakkum, Leon C.	AF17017090
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Carter, William W.	AF19125014
Forwood, Alan C.	AF39491583
Haefer, George E.	AF39916553
Hemasing, Ralph E.	AF28712463
Himmelhaver, Larry E.	AF19055588
Howarth, Albert E. Jr.	AF19056135
Jerin, Edward	AF28712438
Miller, Harry H.	AF39388808
Miller, Roy B.	AF39316450
Nelson, Virgil H.	AF28712475
Nevins, Richard M.	AF19055824
Nutter, George E.	AF39607372
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Poncelet, Eugene R.	AF19123896
Portwood, Ralph H.	AF39306475
Reis, Newman E.	AF33122640
Shoquist, John A.	AF28712381
Spradlin, Herbert V.	AF19054742
Steel, Roy J.	AF39927583
Sternberg, Irvin A.	AF19211239
Van Diest, Charles W.	AF39609984
Wutzke, Edwin W.	AF28712603

S/SGT

Alvarez, Tony V.	AF18046679
Burbank, Daniel I.	AF20940582
Campo, Gasper Jr.	AF32435144
Collins, Woodrow W.	AF6969767
Connell, Arthur J.	AF28712628
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Cordell, Daniel L.	AF28712439
Davis, Robert W.	AF19220729
Frisbee, Sumpter A.	AF19102391
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Goyette, Harry E.	AF19248661
Gregoire, Richard P.	AF28712399
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Gruenhagen, Robert W.	AF28712432
Hajek, Vincent F.	AF39612076
Hamer, Warren A.	AF19211851
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Jackson, Clarence F.	AF36734763
Johns, James L.	AF19056146
Jones, Howard N.	AF18117194
Keeley, Mark A.	AF19019900
Kensmoe, Robert H.	AF19248623

Kohlmeier, Bert C.	AF39615356
Lake, James D.	AF28712418
Larance, Andrew J.	AF19123680
Layne, Jesse W.	AF39541275
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Manfredi, Frank S.	AF32403973
Olson, Oscar C.	AF19060359
O' Reilly, Jerry D. Jr.	AF28712455
Reilly, Bernard F.	AF28712458
Sayre, Milton L.	AF15235364
Sloan, Jack L.	AF39612062
Smith, Nyle D.	AF16052832
Springer Robert W.	AF19123485
Stallman, William	AF32517813
Urbanitch, Frank	AF28712436
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Waddell, Alfred B.	AF36647663
Wade, Morton M.	AF20932293

SGT

Albers, William	AF28712511
Askelson, Joe E.	AF28727534
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Ballard, Charles W.	AF39608832
Barnes, Howard D.	AF28712461
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Beckman, Robert C.	AF19248479
Boetcher, William F.	AF28712470
Brand, James A.	AF28712481
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Carver, Billy	AF14228598
EAD 2 Feb 51	
Chapman, Guy L.	AF28712563
Cobb, Lowell L.	AF28712532
Davison, Hubert A.	AF14266667
Dunwebber, Eugene A.	AF28712502
EAD 8 Feb 51	
Dylina, Philip G.	AF39617642
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Eaton, Dellas G.	AF28712520
Enlos, Larry C.	AF28712476
Enslow, William L.	AF28712396
Ewald, Glenn F.	AF39602998
Gallaher, Douglas F.	AF28712617
Gifford, Kenneth H.	AF39042620
Gilmore, Charles H.	AF28712423
Asgd to Lowry AFB Course No. 40350, eff. 7 Mar 51	
Gregoire, Bernard R.	AF28712389
Habel, Ray J.	AF28712465
Hammet, Edwin J.	AF23004125
EAD 1 Mar 51	

Helgeson, Richard K.	AF19248157
Hunter, Harry	AF39178747
Jardine, John B.	AF39442784
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Jennings, Roy L.	AF19248160
Kaste, William G.	AF28712484
Keeley, Patrick E.	AF39931813
Knight, Harry E.	AF28712405
Laak, John J.	AF28712522
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Lustgraaf, Martin J.	AF28712539
Magnus, Melvin E.	AF28712441
Mays, Harvey A.	AF57611942
Omholt, Kenneth A.	AF19315549
Orham, Maurice D.	AF28712514
Payne, James M.	AF28712754
Pejko, Andrew	AF39620836
Schuler, George R.	AF28712549
Schulke, George F.	AF28712568
Seaton, Charles L.	AF28712496
EAD 8 Feb 51	
Shaffroth, Donald C.	AF28712428
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Shoal, John J.	AF28727525
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Silloway, Jack H.	AF39622122
Silvernale, William A.	AF56040010
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Skovron, Robert F.	AF28712440
Thompson, Orval B.	AF28712518
Trodick, Frank T.	AF28712469
Wade, Darrell E.	AF28712497
Walbon, Robert D.	AF39617426
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Wells, James R.	AF28712498
Wilson, Robert L.	AF28712684
Wolff, John B.	AF28718637
Woodahl, Robert L.	AF28712467
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Zeiter, Donald M.	AF28712632

CPL

Ankney, Carrol C.	AF28712699
Baird, John D.	AF28712658
Baker, Charles C.	AF28712799
Black, John J.	AF28712534
Blackerby, Lee K.	AF28712622
Blaker, William J.	AF28712412
Asgd to 3380th Tech Tng Cp eff 13 Nov 50	
Bliss, Elmer B.	AF28712546
Boule, Francis D.	AF28712538

Carr, Theodore I.	AF28712594
Casavant, William A.	AF28712640
Cislo, Stephen A.	AF28712635
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Cobb, Fred L.	AF28712521
Cohn, Gary L.	AF28712482
Collins, George E.	AF19350302
Conrardy, Bernard J.	AF26992243
Cooper, Russell F.	AF28712645
Corbett, Thomas E.	AF28712605
Cox, Charles S.	AF28712666
Cox, Ralph B.	AF28712493
Creek, Everard R. Jr.	AF28712598
Dawes, William H.	AF11101162
Deck, Robert L.	AF28712513
Edmonds, Gerald M.	AF28712404
Farley, Ralph M.	AF28712577
Ferguson, Calvin R.	AF19271131
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Fitch, Denver T.	AF37706391
Fox, Richard C.	AF28712547
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Fretheim, Richard H.	AF19307858
Fritz, Nickalos	AF28712581
Gardner, Gerald M.	AF28712588
Geyer, Donald G.	AF28712794
Hadford, Wendell D.	AF28712471
EAD 7 Feb 51	
Hatfield, John H.	AF28712572
Haugen, Clifford C.	AF28712553
Hayman, Jasper D.	AF28712671
Hilling, Thomas P.	AF28712676
Hodges, Harold W.	AF28712523
Hodges, Julian W.	AF28712648
Johnson, Eugene A.	AF28712653
Keith, Harry W.	AF19123988
Kraft, Kenneth L.	AF27766276
Landerä Earl J. Jr.	AF28712571
Madson, David D.	AF28712659
Mason, Lewis E.	AF28712619
McKeever, Lyle	AF28712510
Mesler, Eugene O.	AF12249828
Miller, Larry L.	AF28712646
Mock, Kenneth C.	AF19248153
EAD 2 Feb 51	
Montgomery, William L.	AF28712624
Moss, Kenneth E.	AF28712610
Myers, Robert R.	AF28712503
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Nelson, Lloyd E.	AF19288898

Newcomb, Walter A.	AF28712647
EAD 14 Mar 51	
O'Reilly, Thomas A.	AF28712585
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Orham, Harlan L.	AF28712642
Parker, Harry W.	AF28712492
Asgd to Sheppard AFB, Course No. 74740, eff. Mar 51	
Patchett, Thomas D.	AF28712650
Pelton, Richard D.	AF28712616
Quinn, Donald P.	AF19248339
Reeves, Odis C.	AF14253739
Sartain, Russell L.	AF28712573
Scott, Robert G.	AF28712480
Searles, William R.	AF28712528
Smith, Stanley E.	AF28712434
Asgd to Camp Gordon Ga. Course No. 19-E-2, eff 28 Mar 51	
Smock, Edwin P.	AF28712536
Snodgrass, Robert Z.	AF28712474
Stokes, Gary C.	AF28712641
Suek, Jim A.	AF28712533
Sweeney, Max L.	AF26792015
Watson, Richard L.	AF28712417

PFC

Alf, John W.	AF28712608
Asgd to Lowry AFB, Course No. 46250, Eff 1 Mar 51	
Bluhm, Gary C.	AF28712738
Booth, Llewellyn D.	AF28712672
EAD 1 Mar 51	
Brown, Ronald R.	AF28712505
Buckley, Patrick F.	AF28712695
Buley, Robert G.	AF28712697
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Carpenter, Alva C.	AF28712729
Charlson, Eugene J.	AF28712483
Chevalier, Donald M.	AF28712550
Christ, Arthur F.	AF28712702
Clingan, Arthur C.	AF28712633
Crawford, Marion R.	AF28712590
Cunningham, Thomas E.	AF28712765
Dehon, William N.	AF28712634
Dobby, Charles A.	AF28712696
Dussalt, Joe G.	AF28712678
Evans, Jack E.	AF28712629
Farley, Howard R.	AF28712728
Ferrell, Donald G.	AF28712630
Flippen, Eric R.	AF28712689
Gaines, Delbert A.	AF39620178
George, Henry B.	AF28712773
Hoeffner, John E.	AF19288893

Holzheimer, Robert V.	AF28712707
Asgd to Sheppard AFB, Course No. 74740, eff. 7 Feb 51	
Howarth, Donald J.	AF28712662
Jensen, Richard C.	AF28712651
Jerome, Neal W.	AF28712718
Johnson, Walter D.	AF28712626
Jorgensen, George W.	AF33885471
Kohl, Frank C.	AF28712683
Korst, Norbert J.	AF28712478
LaValley, Paul H.	AF28712660
Lenihan, Robert D.	AF28712730
MacLennan, Arthur	AF28712691
Magdall, Kenneth G.	AF28712715
Mangold, Leon W.	AF28712725
Martin, Richard E.	AF28712679
McArthur, Joe Y.	AF28712693
McCann, Monte E.	AF28712504
McGuire, John P.	AF28712677
Meister, James R.	AF28712692
EAD 8 Feb 51	
Montgomery, Richard J.	AF28712623
EAD 14 Mar 51	
Newby, Ben R.	AF28712734
O'Reilly, Ed M.	AF28712674
Oriet, Vincent L.	AF28712701
Otto, Wayne E.	AF28712589
Patterson, Donalld M.	AF28712548
Paulson, Gordon O.	AF28712708
Reiersgaard, Robert G.	AF28712709
Riplett, Richard H.	AF28712682
Rosin, Lawrence A.	AF28712727
Ryan, Neil W. Jr.	AF28718914
Savoy, George A.	AF28712606
Simpson, Thomas M.	AF28712712
Sommerville, John E.	AF28712680
Stack, Robert A.	AF39619825
Thompson, Donald G.	AF28712710
Thompson, George W.	AF28712644
Thompson, Lèslie C.	AF28712535
Van DeRiet, Raymon J.	AF28712722
Van Heel, Charles C.	AF28712657
Vian, Richard	AF28712599
Waldenberg, Edward F.	AF28712558
Zeller, Ross R.	AF28712723

PVT

Baker, Nick B.	AF28712740
Barber, Harold N.	AF28712782
Barber, Kenneth F.	AF28712783
Barnett, Kenneth R.	AF28712705
Baumberger, Richard H.	AF28712756

Bielen, Harold A.	AF28712741
Bliss, Charles D.	AF28712757
Bloom, Donald C.	AF28712774
Bowman, Walter W. Jr.	AF28712767
Brown, Donald C.	AF28712790
Calvert, George J.	AF28712789
Canfield, James B.	AF28712703
Carey, Kenneth D.	AF28712717
Carte, Jack W.	AF28712733
Carter, Robert F. Jr.	AF28712744
Carter, Wesley D.	AF28712714
Cislo, Robert O.	AF28712753
Clark, Maurice P. Jr.	AF28712784
Cox, Martin E.	AF28712698
Cunningham, Edwin L.	AF28712764
Delphy, Duane C.	AF28712747
Donaldson, Howard C.	AF28712795
Edwards, Kenneth N.	AF28712735
Emett, Daniel F.	AF28712739
Ferguson, Chauncey R.	AF28712787
Fox, Henry M.	AF28712721
Greytak, John J.	AF28712750
Gruel, Richard H.	AF28712777
Halll, Charles E.	AF28712781
Hansen, Gordon W.	AF28712737
Hansen, Kermit W.	AF28712736
Heath, Wyman F.	AF28712761
Holbraak, Lloyd E.	AF28712793
Holm, Harold L.	AF28712778
Holzheimer, Donald M.	AF28712762
Hood, Charles W.	AF28712582
Hutton, Glenn D.	AF28712749
Jaraczski, Richard D.	AF28712785
Johnsen, Robert T.	AF28712770
Judge, William C.	AF28712743
Kindschy, John J.	AF28712755
Kolwyck, William A.	AF28712759
Lamb, Arthur J.	AF28712706
Le Claire, Lawrence	AF28712652
Leuchars, Donald C.	AF28712751
LLoser, Lawrence C.	AF28712786
Mahoney, Delmar L.	AF28712668
Mains, James J.	AF28712742
Mangold, Trevor E.	AF28712726
Mann, Duane S.	AF28712713
McAlpine, Malcolm D.	AF28712694
McConnon, Gerald H.	AF28712609
McGeorge, Robert W.	AF28712768
McNaught, John J.	AF28712760
Meade, David L.	AF28712731
Meade, Gerald E.	AF28712732

Meagher, James R.	AF28712612
Melott, John W.	AF28712775
Meyer, Robert L.	AF28712791
Nelson, Robert D.	AF28712758
Nicola, James Jr.	AF39927568
Nicola, Lawrence P.	AF28712766
Obstarczyk, Joseph J.	AF28712724
Ogden, Morton M.	AF28712798
Olson, Edward R.	AF28712792
Peters, George G.	AF28712780
Ray, Burnis L.	AF28712746
Regan, William J.	AF28712574
Reichelt, Theodore J.	AF28712788
Roe, Thomas R.	AF28712637
Rognaldson, Allan W.	AF28712776
Shaffer, Edward A.	AF28712579
Smith, Earl O.	AF28712745
Smith, Robert W.	AF28712779
Spurgeon, Clinton W.	AF28712772
Stanfield, Robert E.	AF28712663
Stirling, Wallace A.	AF28712748
Suek, Arnold P.	AF28712796
Suek, Robert L.	AF28712752
Ursich, Tony D.	AF28712649
Vining, Thomas G.	AF28712771
White, Harold R.	AF28712720
Williams, Mose H.	AF14226964

186TH WEATHER STATION TYPE A

1st Lt.

Martini Van Richthofen, Hans V.	AO976143
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T/SGT

Charles, Richard A.	33521186
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S/SGT

McAdams, Fred L.	19123981
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CPL

Alf, Edward A.	28712593
Helgeson, William L.	39938127
Remy, Richard R.	28712686

STATE EMERGENCIES

The Governor of the State, as Commander-in-Chief of the Montana National Guard, is empowered to order any or all units or individuals into State service for the protection of life and property and the pres-

ervation of peace, order, and public safety. During April of 1952 the Milk River in Northern Montana went on the rampage, and certain units of the Montana National Guard were called into State Service. Company E, 163rd R.C.T., Havre, Montana, was called out 2 April, 52 and was released 12 April 52. Tank Co. 163rd R.C.T., Chinook, Montana was called out 3 April, 52 and was released 11 April, 52 and company D, 163rd R.C.T., Glasgow was called out 7 April, 52 and released 11 April, 52.

8 August 1950

GENERAL ORDERS:

No. _____ 6:

1. Par 1 GO 14 AGO Mont 24 June 1947 as pertains to 186th Ftr Sqdn (SE) Mont ANG is amended as follows:

Ultimate National Guard Strength		
Off	WO	EM
44	0	101

AUTH: Ltr CSNGB 11 Mar 49 Subj: Tables of Authorized Strengths for Federally Recognized Air Units of the National Guard.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

14 September 1950

GENERAL ORDERS:

No. _____ 7:

1. The Infantry Heavy Tank Co, 163d Inf, Mont. NG, presently active is redesignated as the "Tank Company (Medium), 163d Infantry Regiment," effective 1 September 1950.

AUTH: Ltr. CSNGB 1 September 1950 Subj: Table of Organization and Equipment Changes (Heavy Tank Battalions)

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

20 October 1950

GENERAL ORDERS:

No. _____ 8:

1. Fol units Mont ANG will be inactivated eff 1 November 1950 in accordance with letter Chief, NGB, 28 September 1950, Subject: Implementation of the Air Force Combat Wing Structure for Air National Guard Units:

TO&E

Detachment C, 227th Air Service Group	1-439T
Utility Flight, 186th Fighter Squadron	1-719T

2. Announcement is made of the reorganization of the following Montana National Guard Units without change of station in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 28 September 1950: Subject: Implementation of the Air Force Combat Wing Structure for Air National Guard Units, effective 1 November 1950:

Unit	TO&E	Off	EM	AGG
186th Ftr Sqdn, SE	1-27R to			
186th Ftr Sqdn, SE	1256T	39	122	166
Maintenance Squadron Element	1-7504T Section IIB,IIIB	1	45	46
Supply Squadron Element	1-7502T Section IIB,IIIB	2	48	50
Motor Vehicle Squadron Element	1-8504T Section IIA,IIIA	2	69	71
Communications Squadron Element	1-8013 Column 21	0	13	13
Installations Squadron Element	1-8503T Section IIA,IIIA	2	39	41
Air Police Squadron Element	1-8024T Section IIA,IIIA	1	26	27
Food Service Squadron Element	1-8015 Column 4	1	36	37
Medical Group Element	1-9022T Column 8	1	3	4

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

15 November 1950

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.9:

1. By authority of the Secretary of the Army, the Chief, National Guard Bureau hereby authorizes reorganization of Medical Company, 163d Regimental Combat Team to include the augmentation in Column 9 of T/O&E 8-7N, dtd 6 January 1948, effective 16 November 1950.

2. Personnel in augmentation of Par 1 above are as follows:

Unit	SSN	Augmentation
Captain or Lieutenant Dental	3170	4
Private first class (E3) Dental Assistant	0855	4

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

15 February 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.1:

1. State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard, is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 23 January 1951, Subject: Reorganization of Selective Service Section, State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment with station at Helena, Montana effective 1 March 1951 and is authorized the following strengths in accordance with Special Department of the Army Table of Organization for State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard:

National Guard Section		
Off	WO	EM
16	0	19

Augmentation for Selective Service

Off	WO	EM
6	2	0

State Staff Air National Guard Section

3	0	6
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Aggregate

Off	WO	EM
25	2	25

2. 46th Army Band, Montana National Guard, is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 15 January 1951, Subject: Reorganization of National Guard Band (Separate), with station at Bozeman, Montana, effective 1 March 1951 and is authorized the following strength in accordance with Paragraph 04 Page 4 Change 2 Table of Organization and Equipment 20-107N dated 15 November 1950:

Ultimate NG Strength

Off	WO	EM
0	1	28

3. Following named units, Montana National Guard, are hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana, in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 2 January 1951, Subject: Reorganization of Nondivisional Units Comprising National Guard Regimental Combate Teams, with stations and authorized strengths as indicated, eff 1 March 1951, in accordance with Tables of Organization and Equipment and Changes under which elements are to be reorganized:

UNIT AND STATION	Authority	Maximum Authorized Strength			
		Off	WO	EM	Aggr
Headquarters and Headquarters Company 163d Inf (Incl Light Aviation Sec Augm—Par 19) Station—Bozeman, Montana	TO&E 712N 21 Apr 48 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	23	2	189	214
Service Co, 163d Infantry Station—Helena, Montana	TO&E 7 13N 9 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	5	7	130	142
Heavy Mortar Company 163d Infantry Station—Malta, Montana	TO&E 7-14N 29 Mar 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	6	1	141	148
Medical Company, 163d Infantry (Incl Augm—Par 09:04 Off-2EM) Station—Helena, Montana	TO&E B-7N Jan. 48 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	17	0	153	170
Tank Company (Medium) 163d Infantry Station—Chinook, Montana	TO&E 17-37N 26 Jan 48 Change 3, 15 Nov 1950	6	1	108	115
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Bn, 163d Infantry Station—Culbertson, Montana	TO&E 7-16N 16 Apr 48 Change 2 15 Nov 50	11	1	84	96
Company A, 163d Infantry Station—Sidney, Montana	TO&E 7-17N 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company B, 163d Infantry Station—Poplar, Montana	TO&E 7-17 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company C, 163d Infantry Station—Plentywood, Montana	TO&E 7-17N 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company D, 163d Infantry Station—Glasgow, Montana	TO&E 7-18N 30 Dec 47 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	5	1	121	127

UNIT AND STATION	Authority	Maximum Authorized Strength			
		Off	WO	EM	Aggr
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Bn, 163d Infantry Station—Livingston, Montana	TO&E 7-16N 16 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	11	1	84	96
Company E, 163d Infantry Station—Havre, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company F, 163d Infantry Station—Lewistown, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company G, 163d Infantry Station—Dillon, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company H, 163d Infantry Station—Harlowton,, Montana	TO&E 7-18N 30 Dec 47 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	5	1	121	127
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Bn, 163d Infantry Station—Billings, Montana	TO&E 7-16N 16 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	11	1	84	96
Company I, 163d Infantry Station—Glendive, Montana	TO&E 7-17N 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company K, (Less Sep Dep) 163d Infantry Station—Miles City, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	5	1	124	130
Separate Detachment, Co. K 163d Infantry Station—Forsyth, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	1	0	36	37
Company L, 163d Infantry Station—Roundup, Montana	TO&E 7-17N, 9 Dec 47 Change 3, 15 Nov 50	6	1	160	167
Company M, 163d Infantry Station—Billings, Montana	TO&E 7-18N, 30 Dec 47 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	5	1	121	127
Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 443d Field Artillery Battalion. Station—Missoula, Montana	TO&E 6-26N, 19 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	19	2	118	139
Battery A 443d Field Artillery Battalion Station—Deer Lodge, Montana	TO&E 6-27N 21 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	8	1	96	105
Battery B, 443d Field Artillery Battalion Station—Missoula, Montana	TO&E 6-27N 21 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	8	1	96	105
Battery C 443d Field Artillery Battalion Station—Kalispell, Montana	TO&E 6-27N 21 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	8	1	96	105
Service Battery 443d Field Artillery Battalion Station—Kalispell, Montana	TO&E 6-29N, 14 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	3	2	56	61
Medical Detachment 443d Field Artillery Battalion Station—Missoula, Montana	TO&E 6-25N, 21 Apr 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	2	0	10	12
210th Engineer Combat Company Station—Bozeman, Montana	TO&E 5-17N, 4 Feb 48 Change 2, 15 Nov 50	5	1	130	136

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

20 February 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.....2:

1. Paragraph 1, General Orders No. 1, AGO Montana, dated 15 February 1951 is revoked.

2. State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard, is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 23 Jan-

uary 1951, Subject: Reorganization of Selective Service Section, State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, and letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 9 February 1951, Subject: Authorization for Additional Military Troop Spaces, with station at Helena, Montana effective 1 March 1951 and is authorized the following strengths in accordance with Table of Organization, National Guard Bureau, for Headquarters and Headquarters (less Air Section) Montana National Guard, dated 7 February 1951 and Table of Organization, National Guard Bureau for State Staff Air National Guard, undated.

National Guard Section

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
16	0	19	35

Augmentation for Selective Service

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	2	0	8

State Staff Air National Guard Section

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	1	6	13

Aggregate

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
30	3	28	61

3, Announcement is made of the authorization for additional Military Troop Spaces for the 186th Fighter Squadron (SE) Great Falls, Montana in accordance with letter, CSNGB 9 February 1951, Subj: Authorization for Additional Military Troop Spaces, the following strengths are authorized over and above present T/O&E authorization, eff March 1951:

Off	EM	Aggr
3	45	48

New Authorized Strength

Off	EM	Aggr
52	446	498

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

28 February 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.3:

1. Effective 15 March 1951 the Air Section, State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard, is authorized an increase to provide for Air Base, Flight "E" in accordance with Letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, dated 16 February 1951, Subject: Air Base Flights for the Air National Guard, and Manning Table for Air National Guard Air Base Flights. Additional Strengths authorized as follows:

Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
2	0	3	5

NEW AUTHORIZED STRENGTHS

National Guard Section

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
16	3	19	35

Augmentation for Selective Service

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	2	0	8

State Staff Air National Guard Section

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
8	1	9	16

Aggregate

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
30	3	28	61

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

18 April 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.4:

1. 3669th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company, Montana National Guard, is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, Chief National Guard Bureau, 5 April 1951, Subject: Reorganization of National Guard Nondivisional Separate Ordnance Companies with station at Helena, Montana, effective 16 May 1951 and is authorized the following strengths in accordance with Column 7, C2 TO&E 9-7 dated 13 Sep 1948:

Ultimate NG Strength

Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	3	138	147

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

15 May 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.5:

1. Under the provisions of Section 94, National Defense Act, and authority of the Secretary of the Army as contained in Training Authority Number 24, National Guard Bureau, dated 7 May 1951, a fifteen (15) day Field Training Camp will be held at Fort William Henry Harrison, Montana, 16 through 30 June 1951. All officers, warrant officers and enlisted men of the following Federally recognized units of

the Montana National Guard are ordered to attend this camp unless excused by proper authority:

163d Infantry Regiment
443d Field Artillery Battalion
210th Engineerd Combat Company
46th Army Band
3669th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company
State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment
(Less Air Section)

2. The following detachments will train under the authority cited in paragraph 1 for the additional period shown below.

- a. Advance Detachment of thirteen (13) officers, two (2) warrant officers and fifty (50) enlisted men for a period of four (4) days, 12 through 15 June 1951.
- b. Read Detachment of one (1) officer, one (1) warrant officer, and thirteen (13) enlisted men for a period of one (1) day, 1 July 1951.
- c. Motor-Convoy Detachment of three (3) officers, one (1) warrant officer and seventy-eight (78) enlisted men for a period of two (2) days, 14 through 15 June 1951.
- d. Pre-Camp Training Detachment for Mess Personnel of one (1) officer, one (1) warrant officer and fifty-four (54) enlisted men for a period of four (4) days, 12 through 15 June 1951.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

17 May 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.6:

1. So much of Paragraph 2 General Orders Number 2 State of Montana, Office of the Adjutant General, Helena, Montana, 1951, as reads "and Tables of Organization, National Guard Bureau for State Staff Air National Guard, undated" is amended to read "and the Air Section, State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with Air National Guard Regulation Number 23-01, dated 21 February 1951."

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

5 June 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.7:

1. Under the provisions of Section 94, National Defense Act and authority of the Secretary of the Air Force as contained in Training

Authority Number 27-1-Air 51 National Guard Bureau, dated 22 May 1951, a fifteen (15) day field training camp will be held at Fort William Henry Harrison, Montana, 16 through 30 June 1951. All officers, Warrant Officers and Airmen of the Air Section, State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana Air National Guard are ordered to attend this camp **unless excused by proper authority.**

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

10 October 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.8:

1. A board consisting of the following named officers is hereby apptd to convene at the Office of the Adjutant General, Statte Arsenal Building, Helena, Montana at 7:30 P. M., Monday, 15 October 1951, for the purpose of preparing an equitable distribution of unit funds now in the custody of State Post Exchange Officer, Captain Manfred H. Goodwin. Said funds being in the approximate sum of \$2,000, which is profit from the Post Exchange, Fort Harrison, Montana. Copy of Financial Statement attached:

Major Robert M. Kendall, 0-262740, President
Captain Olaf K. Sather, 0-182,395, Member
Captain Gilbert V. Warren, 0-2037106, Recorder.

2. A copy of the Board Proceedings will be furnished the Adjutant General of the State of Montana and Regimental Headquarters on or before 30 October 1951.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

26 November 1951

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No.9:

1. State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard, is hereby reorganized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, Chief, National Guard Bureau, 31 August 1951, Subj: Authorization for Headquarters Montana Air National Guard, with station at Helena, Montana, effective 1 December 1951 and is authorized the following strengths in accordance with Table of Organization, National Guard Bureau, for Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Montana National Guard, dated 7 February 1951:

National Guard Section			
Off	WO	EM	Aggr
16	0	19	35

Augmentation for Selective Service			
Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	2	0	8

Aggregate			
Off	WO	EM	Aggr
6	1	6	13

2. Headquarters Montana Air National Guard is hereby organized in the National Guard of Montana in accordance with letter, CNGB, 31 August 1951, Subject: Authorization for Headquarters Montana Air National Guard with station at Helena, Mont., eff 1 December 1951 and is authorized the following strength in accordance with Section IIB, T/D ANG 1—100, 1 Sep 51:

Headquarters Montana Air National Guard			
Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
6	1	6	13

Temporary additional military spaces authorized the Air Section, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment as Air Base Flight "E" are authorized the Headquarters Montana Air National Guard as Air Base Flight "E" to consist of authorized strength as follows, with no change in authorization or mission.

Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
2	0	3	5

Temporary additional military spaces authorized the Air Section, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment for Pilot Training in accordance with NGB Message BU 4417, dated 5 January 1951, Subj: Authorization of Five Lieutenants Positions for Pilot Training, are authorized the Headquarters, Montana Air National Guard, as follows:

Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
5	0	0	5

Temporary additional military spaces authorized Air Base Flight E, Hq & Hq Detachment for Pilot Training in accordance with letter, The Chief, National Guard Bureau, 19 October 1951, Subj: Additional Personnel Authorization for Pilot Training Programs and letter the Chief, National Guard Bureau dtd 5 December 1951, are authorized Air Base Flight E, Hq Mont ANG, as follows:

Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
0	0	8	8

Aggregate			
Off	WO	Airmen	Aggr
13	1	17	31

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

2 April 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

No.1:

1. Pursuant to authority contained in Chapter I, Section 77-107 Revised Codes of Montana 1947, and in connection with the proclama-

tion by the Governor of Montana, of Hill County, Montana as a public disaster area as a result of the flooding of the Milk River, Company E, 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard is hereby ordered into active State Duty for the purpose of assisting the local authorities of Hill County and of the City of Havre, Montana. All members of that unit will report for duty to the Commanding Officer thereof at the National Guard Armory, Havre, Montana 2 April 1952 unless excused by proper authority. A company mess will be established without delay. Officers and enlisted men will be entitled to such pay and allowances as are prescribed by Chapter I, Section 77-154 Revised Codes of Montana 1947. Claims for pay and expenses will be processed in accordance with Chapter I, Section 77-151 Revised Codes of Montana 1947 as amended.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

3 April 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No. 2:

1. Pursuant to authority contained in Chapter I, Section 77-107 Revised Codes of Montana 1947, and in connection with the proclamation by the Governor of Montana, of Blaine County, Montana as a public disaster area as a result of the flooding of the Milk River, Tank Company (Medium), 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard is hereby ordered into Active State Duty for the purpose of assisting the local authorities of Blaine County and of the City of Chinook, Montana. All members of that unit will report for duty to the Commanding Officer thereof at the National Guard Armory, Chinook, Montana 3 April 1952, unless excused by proper authority. A company mess will be established without delay. Officers and enlisted men will be entitled to such pay and allowances as are prescribed by Chapter I, Section 77-154, Revised Codes of Montana 1947. Claims for pay and expenses will be processed in accordance with Chapter I, Section 77-151, Revised Codes of Montana 1947 as amended.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

7 April 1952

No. 3:

1. Pursuant to authority contained in Chapter I, Section 77-107, Revised Codes of Montana 1947, and in connection with the proclamation by the Governor of Montana, of Valley County, Montana as a public disaster area as a result of the flooding of the Milk River, Company D, 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard is hereby ordered into active State Duty for the purpose of assisting the local authorities of Valley County and of the City of Glasgow, Montana. All members of that unit will report for duty to the Commanding Officer thereof at the National Guard Armory, Glasgow, Montana 7 April 1952 unless excused by proper authority. A company mess will be established with-

out pay and allowances as are prescribed by Chapter I, Section 77-1545 Revised Codes of Montana, 1947. Claims for pay and expenses will be processed in accordance with Chapter I, Section 77-151 Revised Codes of Montana, 1947 as amended.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

11 April 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No. 4:

1. Company E, 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard ordered into active State duty on 2 April 1952 by General Order Number 1, Office of the Adjutant General, State of Montana, Helena, Montana, dated 2 Apr 1952 is relieved from such active State duty effective 12 Apr 1952.

2. Tank Company (Medium), 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard ordered into active State duty on 3 April 1952 by General Order Number 2, Office of the Adjutant General, State of Montana, Helena, Montana, dated 3 April 1952 is relieved from such active State duty effective 11 Apr 1952.

3. Company D, 163d Infantry, Montana National Guard ordered into active State duty on 7 April 1952 by General Order Number 3, Office of the Adjutant General, State of Montana, Helena, Montana, dated 7 April 1952 is relieved from such active State duty effective 11 Apr 1952.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

25 April 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

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No. 5:

1. Under the provisions of Section 94, National Defense Act, and Authority of the Secretary of the Army as contained in Training Authority Number 24, National Guard Bureau, dated 18 April 1952, a fifteen (15) day Field Training Camp will be held at Fort William Henry Harrison, Montana 15 through 29 June 1952. All officers, warrant officers and enlisted men of the following Federally recognized units of the Montana National Guard are ordered to attend this camp unless excused by proper authority:

163d Infantry Regiment
443d Field Artillery Battalion
210th Engineer Combat Company
46th Army Band
3669th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company
State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment

2. The following detachments will train under the authority cited in paragraph 1 for the additional period shown below.

- a. Advance Detachment of twelve (12) officers, three (3) warrant officers and eighty-five (85) enlisted men for a period of three (3) days, 12 through 14 June 1952.
- b. Rear Detachment of two (2) officers, one (1) warrant officer, and seventeen (17) enlisted men for a period of one (1) day, 30 June 1952.
- c. Motor-convoy Detachment of three (3) officers and eighty-eight (88) enlisted men for a period of two (2) days, 13 through 14 June 1952.
- d. Pre-Camp Training Detachment for Mess Personnel of one (1) officer, one (1) warrant officer and fifty-seven (57) enlisted men for a period of four (4) days, 11 through 14 June 1952.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

8 May 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

No. 6:

1. Under the provisions of Section 94, National Defense Act and authority of the Secretary of the Air Force as contained in Training Authority Number 27-1-Air-52 National Guard Bureau, dated 16 April 1952 and Training Authority Number 27-1A-Air-52 National Guard Bureau, dated 28 April 1952, a fifteen (15) day Field Training Camp will be held at Fort William Henry Harrison, Montana, 15 through 29 June 1952. All Officers and Airmen at Headquarters and Air Base Flight "E", Montana Air National Guard are ordered to attend this camp **unless excused by proper authority.**

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief

1 June 1952

GENERAL ORDERS:

No. 7:

1. In accordance with authority contained in Section VI National Guard Regulation Number 44, dated 6 September 1951 and announcement of winners the "Eisenhower Trophy" pamphlet, National Guard Bureau dated 15 May 1952, it is hereby announced that the following Unit of the Montana National Guard has qualified and is hereby declared the winner of the Eisenhower Trophy for calendar year 1951:

Service Battery, 443d Field Artillery Battalion, 163d RCT

The officers and enlisted personnel of Service Battery, 443d Field Artillery Battalion, 163d Regimental Combat Team, Montana National Guard, Kalispell, Montana, having qualified with the rules governing the award, are commended for attaining 100 percent of the enlisted strength authorized for that Unit by the Chief of the National Guard Bureau for the year of competition, thereafter maintaining an average of 90 percent of their strength, for maintaining during the calendar year an average aggregate attendance of officers and enlisted mn at Armory Drills of 90 per cent of the actual strength, for performance during annual field training, for performance of armory drill training and qualification of members with individual weapons. It is an honor and distinction for this Unit to be the winner of the Eisenhower Trophy.

By Direction of Governor JOHN W. BONNER
Commander-in-Chief



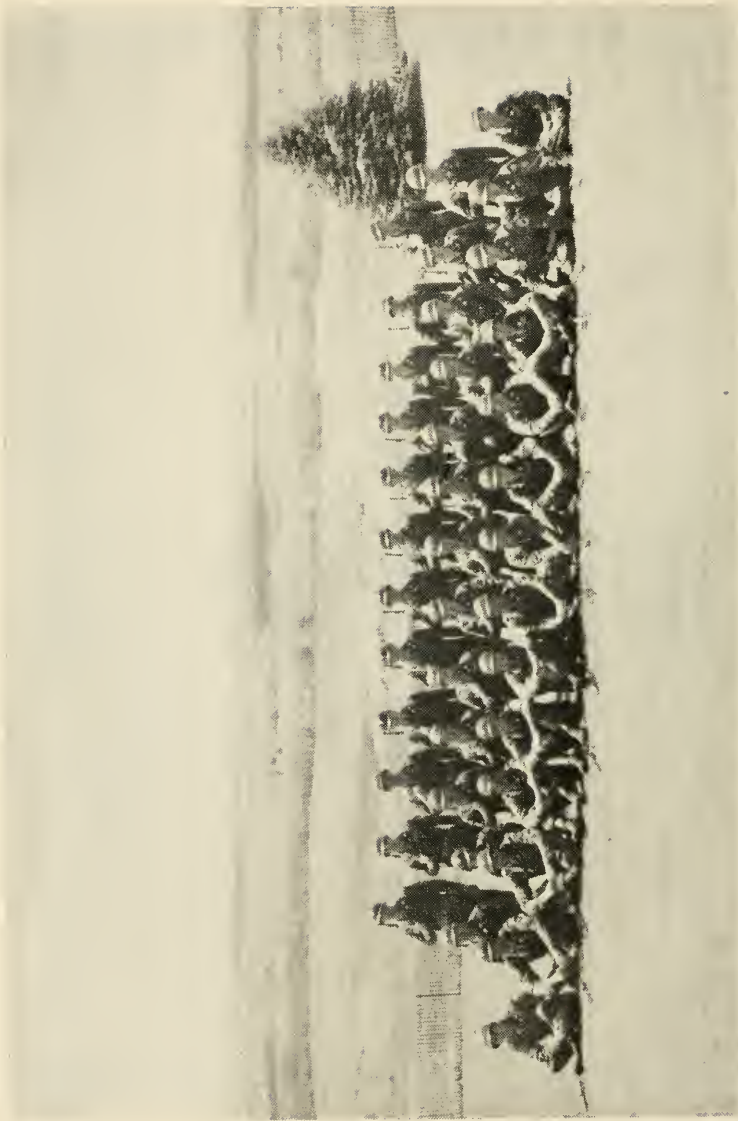
Infantrymen advance under cover of tank in field maneuvers, Fort Harrison.



210th Engineers Building a Bridge



Artillery reconnaissance plane of Montana National Guard ground troops



Honor guard of the Montana National Guard at ceremonies in connection with the 75th anniversary of the Battle of the Little Big Horn at the Custer Battlefield National Monument, Montana, June 1951.



210th Engineers, Building a road during summer maneuvers along Continental Divide



Class of the 443rd FA Bn. during summer encampment, 1952



Mortar practice, at summer encampment



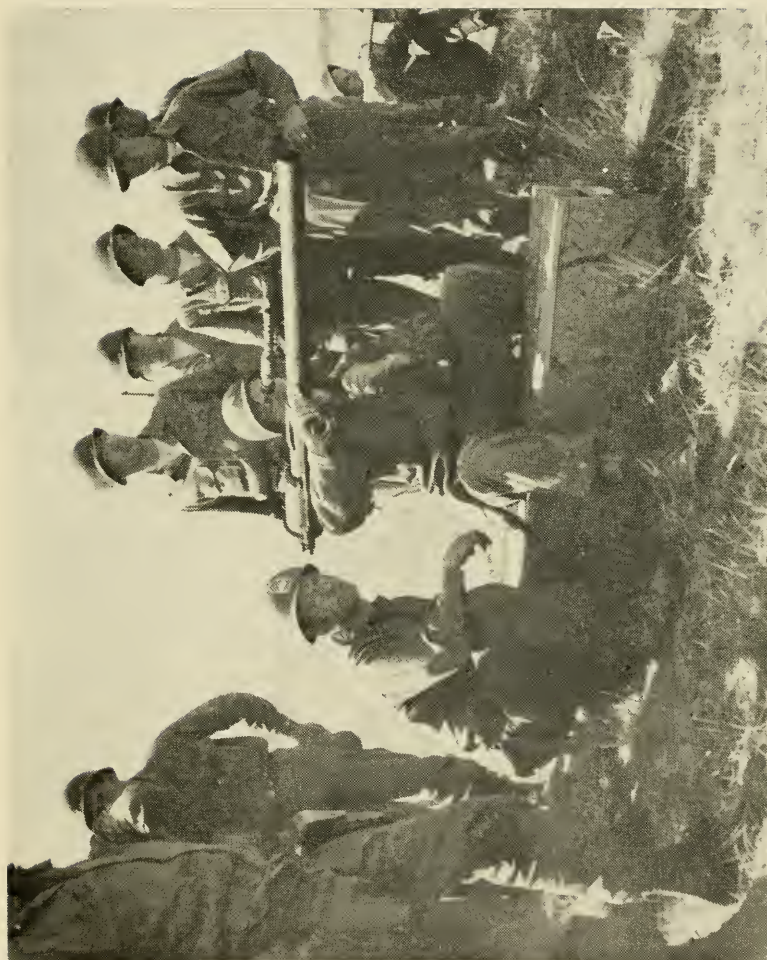
Messing in a unit mess hall during summer encampment, Fort Harrison



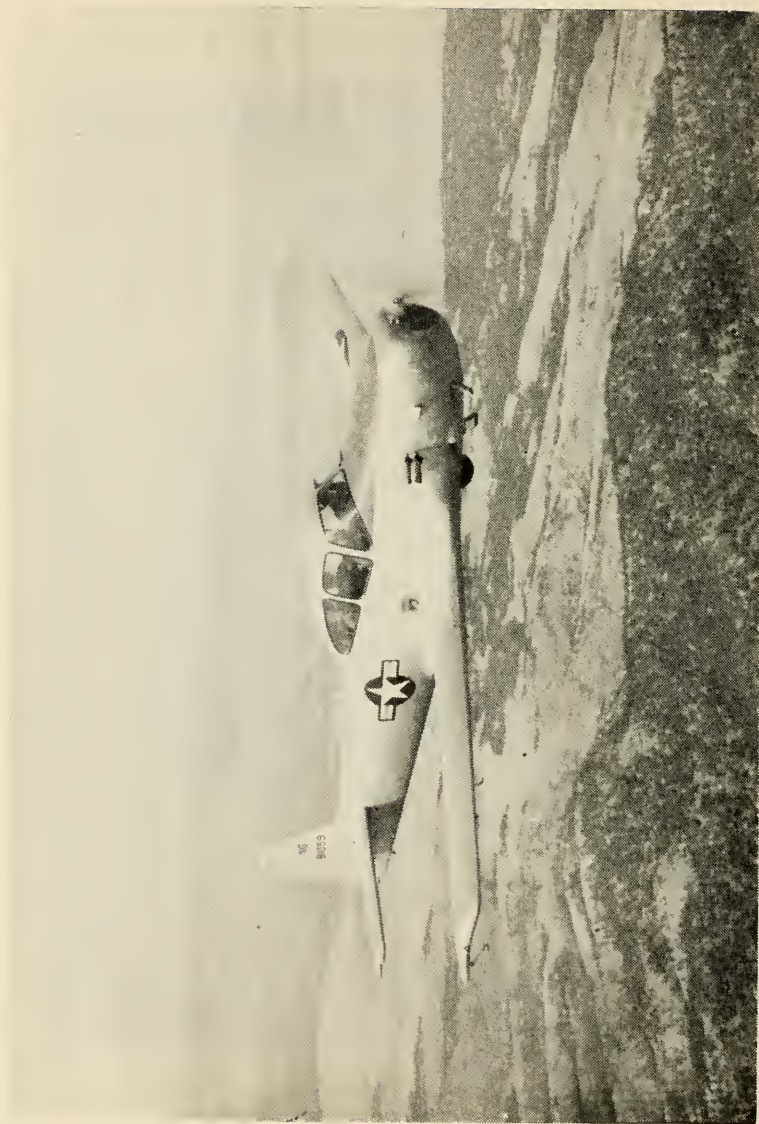
30 caliber machine gun practice during summer encampment in maneuvers along Continental Divide



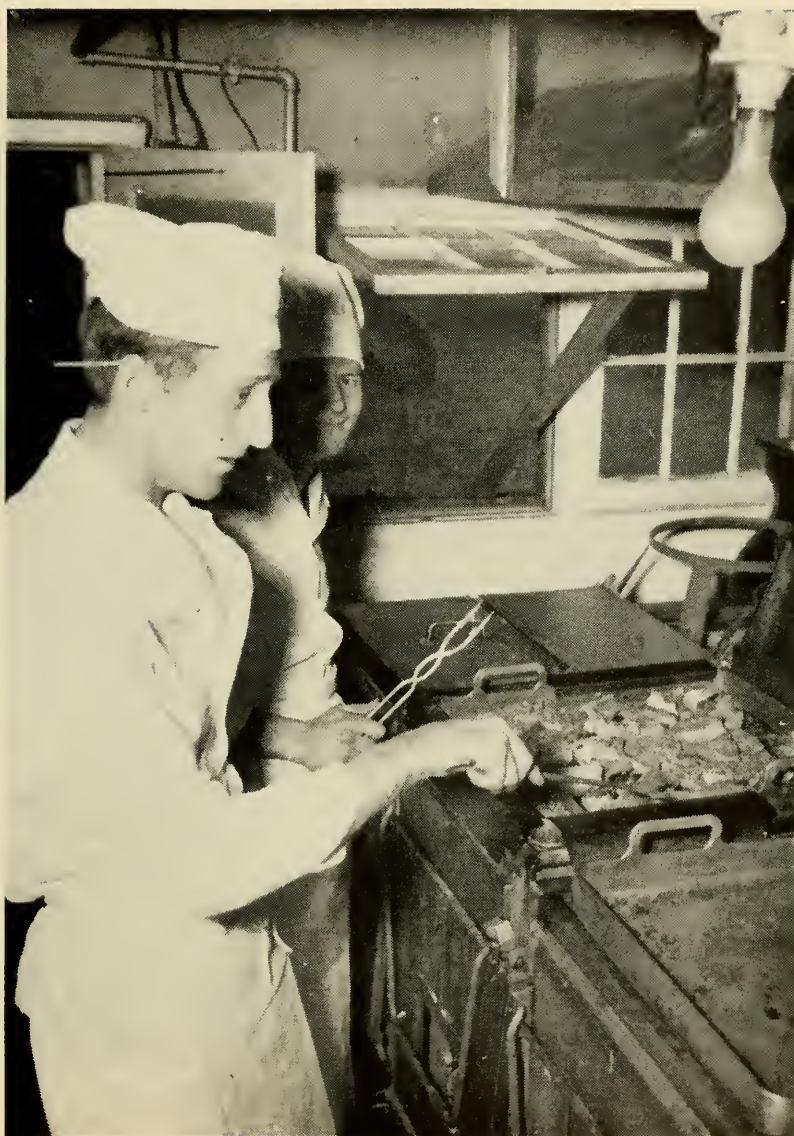
Communications practice with Army walkie-talkie during summer encampment



Demonstration of recoilless weapon at summer encampment



Plane attached to state headquarters of Montana National Guard, used for transportation of headquarters personnel and mercy flights.



Unit cooks at work in unit mess hall during summer encampment



Food storage for troops at Fort Harrison during summer encampment



Demolition practice during summer encampment at Fort Harrison



Individual instruction in infantry details during summer encampment

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